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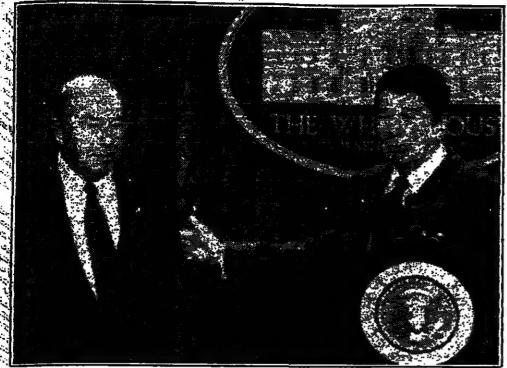
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President Ronald Reagan handed the podium to Secretary of State George P. Shultz after announcing agreement with the Soviet Union on scrapping intermediate-range missiles.

relationship between the two countries.

The secretary and the foreign minister re-viewed the full spectrum of questions regard-ing nuclear, conventional and chemical weap-

ons arms control. In particular, the two ministers,

together with their advisers, conducted inten-

sive negotiations on the question of intermediate-

range and shorter-range missiles. This result-ed in agreement in principle to conclude a trea-

The Geneva delegations of both sides have

been instructed to work intensively to resolve

remaining technical issues and promptly to com-

The secretary and the foreign minister agreed that a similarly intensive effort should be made to

achieve a treaty on 50 percent reductions in strategic offensive arms within the framework of

Having discussed questions related to nuclear

Path to a Pact: Key Events

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1981: Nesotiations on intermediate- suspends negotiations.

1977: The Soviet Union begins deploy- to cut back to 75 missile launchers. The

Pershing-2 and cruise missiles in Europe. arrive in Britain. On Nov. 23, Moscow

testing, the two sides agreed to begin before Dec. 1, 1987, full-scale stage-by-stage negotia-

the Geneva Nuclear and Space Talks.

plete a draft treaty text.

U.S., Soviet Reach Arms Pact

Treaty to Be Signed at Fall Summit

By Lou Cannon

Washington Past Service
WASHINGTON — President Ronald Reagan said Friday that the United States and the Soviet Union had reached "agreement in principle" on an Intermediate Nuclear Forces treaty that will be

week of marathon negotiations be-tween Secretary of State George P. Shultz and Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze on a range of U.S.-Soviet issues, including human rights and Afghanistan. Agreement on key provisions of the INF treaty to scrap U.S. and Soviet nuclear missiles with a range of 600 to 3,000 miles (1,000 to 5,000 kilometers) was reached Thursday in a nine-and-a-half-hour session.

U.S. and Soviet negotiators also said they would begin full-scale ne-

The president announced the one had thought."

agreement to scrap medium and shorter-range missiles in a televised statement from the White House, stating that "although we have seri-stating that "although we have seri-said." The day before yesterday, I ous differences in many areas, the said to Secretary Shultz that it is tone of the talks was frank, consime to bring in the harvest. And he
structive, and notable progress was agreed." made," Mr. Shultz said that "intensified effort" would now be made of the existence of nuclear weapto make progress on reducing straons," he continued, "it has been tegic nuclear arms. The subject is possible to agree on the elimination expected to be a major item on the of two classes of nuclear weapons.

Mr. Reagan said Mr. Shuitz By year's end, he said, both we would travel to Moscow next and our American partners have month to work out the rest of the confidence the treaty will be details and to set a date for the signed." summit meeting, likely to be held in Washington in late November.

conference at the Soviet Embassy: could be worked out. The Soviets

This is a beginning."

summit meeting, likely to be held in Washington in late November.

Shortly after Mr. Reagan spoke, Mr. Shevardnadze said at a news called "a technical question" that

a five-year period for the longer [West Germany said Friday that ones; the U.S. position is that the it would dismantle its 72 Pershingshorter weapons should be IA missiles "at the moment when scrapped within a year after the American and Soviet INF missiles treaty is signed and the longer are eliminated," Agence Franceweapons within three years.

Mr. Shultz and Mr. Shevardnadze succeeded in diplomatically sidestepping the question of the Pershing-IA, a West German mis-sile with a U.S.-owned nuclear warhead that the Soviets had said was an obstacle to completion of an INF treaty. The United States took the view that this was a "third country" system, similar to those owned by the British and French and could not be part of any U.S.-

Mr. Shultz said that "the Soviets raised questions about the German Pershing-IAs, which are not part of this negotiation, and still aren't." But he said that Chancellor Helmut

want a two-year dismantling period West Germany would be willing to for the shorter-range weapons and scrap the missiles.

[West Germany said Friday that Presse reported from Bonn.]

The Soviet and U.S. negotiators reached an understanding, that will not be part of the treaty, that the nuclear warheads will be returned to the United States when the missiles are dismantled. Mr. Shultz said that, once this happens, "they're no longer committed to the cooperative program and will be dealt with as the other warheads

Mr. Reagan has been under fire from some critics of the prospective treaty, especially in the conservative wing of the Republican Party. for being too eager to complete an presidency weakened by the Irancontra affair.

The president, asked what he See ACCORD, Page 5

Kiosk Japan's Growth Grinds to Halt

Japan's economic growth quarter of the year, causing fears that the country's economic policy will come under renewed attack from abroad.

The government said the zero growth rate for gross national product for April through June followed 5.3 percent growth in the previous three months. Officials blamed the slowdown on a sharp drop in exports and a rise in imports.

The United States has been urging Japan to spur domestic economic growth as a means of encouraging U.S. exports to Ja-pan and reducing the huge U.S. trade deficit. Page 11.



Beryl W. Sprinkel, President Ronald Reagan's chief economic adviser, is resigning. Page 11.

GENERAL NEWS mFBI agents made use of a

drug lure to trap a Shiite Moslem hijacking suspect on the III Judge Robert H. Bork denied that he would press a conservative political agenda on the Su-

preme Court. Page 3. M Another 'hacker' intrusion has raised the issue of whether any computer is secure. Page 2. ARTS/LEISURE

Art lovers can see some unexpected masterpieces in Turin

BUSINESS/FINANCE Robert Maxwell, the British publisher, raised his holdings in two banking groups. Page 13.

Dow close: Down 3.26 The dollar in New York: DM £ Yen FF 1.806 1.657 142.55 6.0225

By David S. Broder

and character of the controversy

that has erupted around Senator Joseph R. Biden Jr.'s fledgling

said Thursday. But most said it was

premature to write him out of the

"They just have to try to ride out

the firestorm," said Robert G.

Beckel, manager of Walter F. Mon-

room for any more shoes to drop.

This is not a candidacy strong

enough to survive an extended eri-

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Biden's Clouded Future

Plagiarism Affair Hurts Campaign

Full Text of 'Agreement in Principle' WASHINGTON - The following is the full They approved a separate statement on this sub-

text of the U.S.-Soviet joint statement released by the White House on Friday: The secretary and the foreign minister also Secretary of State Shultz and Foreign Minister discussed regional issues. Shevardnadze have completed three days of thorough and useful discussions on all aspects of the

The two sides discussed a broad range of issues concerning bilateral relations. A work program was agreed to be implemented in 1987-88, designed to intensify joint efforts in various areas of U.S.-Soviet cooperation.

A constructive discussion of human rights issues and humanitarian questions took place.

Secretary Shultz and Foreign Minister Shevarduadze agreed that an additional meeting is needed to review the results of the work in all of these areas, including the efforts of the delega-tions in the Geneva Nuclear and Space Talks. They agreed that this meeting would take place in Moscow in the second half of October.

In order to sign a treaty on intermediate-rang and shorter-range missiles and to cover the full range of issues in the relationship between the two countries, a summit between President Rea-gan and General Secretary Gorbachev will take

The summit will be held in the fall of 1987, with exact dates to be determined during the talks

formal agreement in July 1982 for each side

idea was vetoed by both governments.

range forces begin in Geneva in November. 1986: The Soviet leader, Mikhail S. Gor- Iceland, on an outline plan to abolish inter-

1963: Washington discloses that one of bachev, in January proposes complete mediate-range missiles in Europe and reits negotiator, Paul H. Nitze, and a Soviet elimination of U.S. and Soviet intermediate range missiles in Europe and reits negotiator, Paul H. Nitze, and a Soviet elimination of U.S. and Soviet intermediate range missiles in Europe and reits negotiator, Paul H. Nitze, and a Soviet elimination of U.S. and Soviet intermediate.

negotiator, Yuli A. Kvitsinsky, reached in- ate-range forces in Europe over five to Soviet Asia, respectively. But Mr. Gorba-



Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevarduadze gestured as he left the State Department late Thursday after talks on nuclear missiles with Secretary of State George P. Shultz.

bans on European

medium-range missiles.

range missiles.

chev insists there must simultaneously be

agreement on strategic and space weapons.

drops linkage issue on INF forces.

1987: In February, Mr. Gorbachev

On July 22, Mr. Gorbachev accepts U.S.

On Aug. 26, Chancellor Helmut Kohl

pledges to dismantle 72 Pershing-1As based on West German soil if the United

States and the Soviet Union scrap their

suggestions of worldwide bans, not merely

Possible Soviet Gain Is Seen By Analysts

WASHINGTON - U.S. defense analysts, reacting to the U.S.- weapons. diate-range nuclear forces, said Friday that the accord could boost be said. "The Soviets can build Europe unless the NATO allies bolster their conventional forces. Separately, U.S. allies warmly

But some military experts say they are also concerned that Moscow could undermine the pact by aiming strategic, or long-range, missiles at targets now selected for Soviet intermediate-range weap-

ance that heavily favors the Soviets Kohl called the agreement the is not the way to go," Representa-tive Les Aspin, Democrat of Wis-consin, said Friday after President Ronald Reagan announced the

agreement in principle. Mr. Aspin, chairman of the West Germany's decision to scrap House Armed Services Committee, 72 West German-based Persining-aid the proposed treaty was a 1A missiles in the event of a U.S. said the proposed treaty was a move in the wrong direction be-cause it did not address what he range missiles. asserted was the current conven-

tional military imbalance. the missiles on the ground, NATO becomes a much weaker organiza-tion. Therefore, I think there has to be a real commitment to cut drastically Soviet conventional

Kenneth L. Adelman, director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, said last week that he was worried that the Western allies might misread a treaty on intermediate nuclear forces as a

sign that "peace has broken out."
"If that happens," he said, "I
think history will judge this as a
very dark time." Lord Carrington, the secretarygeneral of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, said Thursday that Warszw Pact forces might gain

an edge during the three to five years during which the intermediate-range missiles were being scrapped NATO would have to be on guard, he said.

the pact leading to "some mythical non-nuclear nirvana."

Mr. Aspin said it was essential to move quickly to curb strategic "This seems the easiest agree

ment I've ever seen to circumvent the Kremlin's military leverage in more long-range missiles and target the same targets that they cover now" through the intermediaterange weapons. In Brussels, NATO said in a two-

sentence statement: "We have been trying for a long time to reach such an agreement. We hope that an agreement will be the beginning of a process in which we can live at a much lower level of armaments for the same security."

In Bonn, Chancellor Helmut "first major disarma ment" to date. He said West Germany had made "a decisive contribution" to the accord.

Mr. Kohl's comments referred to

In Brussels, Prime Minister Wilfried Martens said his country And Malcolm Toon, a former would not deploy additional cruise

U.S. Ambassador to Moscow, said missiles once a U.S. Soviet arms "If an agreement is concluded between the United States and the

U.S.S.R., Belgium will not deploy the 32 additional missiles scheduled for 1988," Mr. Martens said after a cabinet meeting. "We will not await ratification of that agreement by the two parties to take this

In Britain, Sir Geoffrey Howe, the foreign secretary, said the U.S.-Soviet agreement was "a profound development, a formidable achievement, the beginning of the beginning" of NATO's dreams of reducing the level of nuclear weap-ons in Eastern and Western Eu-

It is "a reward for our strong. united negotiating strategy in NATO," be said.

In Moscow, the official newspa-per Izvestia said that the Soviet-U.S. agreement is a first step in a He cautioned against the idea of real reduction of nuclear weapons, but "we should not fall into eupho-(Reuters, AP, UPI)

Iran Panel's Draft Study Said to Focus on Contras

By David E. Rosenbaum

New York Times Service
WASHINGTON — A preliminary report of the congressional committees that investigated the lran-contra affair concludes that the driving force behind the continued U.S. arms sales to Iran was the desire of some administration offi-Nicaragua, according to several members of the panels.

In interviews Thursday, they said the report stated that President Ronald Reagan's main motivation for approving the arms sales was his desire to free American hostages in the Middle East. But they said the draft indicated

that the president was manipulated into letting the sales continue by officials whose primary goal was to use profits to support the Nicara-

guan rebels, known as contras, af-ter Congress cut off official mili-tary assistance.

Rear Admiral John M. Poindexter, then the national security adviser; Lieutenant Colonel Oliver L. North, who was on the National Security Council staff, and William cials to raise money for the rebels in J. Casey, then director of central

> Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger, the legislators said.

lished by the end of October.

The Senate and House committees met separately Thursday, their first meetings since the hearings ended early last mouth, to discuss the procedures under which the legislators may review and suggest changes in the 1,000-page draft.

Hawaii, the chairman of the Senate panel, said later that he expected many changes to be made before the report was published but that the changes would not involve the substance of the findings in the

Some Republican members said they disagreed with the finding that the arms sales were driven by the desire to mise money for the contras. Representative James A. Courter of New Jersey, who said he had read the draft, asserted that he believed the policy, however misguided, stemmed entirely from the president's concern about the hostages and his hope of improving the United States' relationship with

Mr. Courter said he planned not to sign the final report and to file See INQUIRY, Page 5



eight years, provided Britain and France

do not build up their nuclear arsenals.

In February, Washington proposes a

worldwide ban on intermediate-range

forces by the end of decade but rejects

In September, Moscow drops British

In October, President Ronald Reagan

and Mr. Gorbachev agree at Reykjavik,

limits on Britain and France.

Making Do on the Iraqi Front In Shuttered Basra, Tomorrows Are Full of Uncertainty

By Alan Cowell New York Times Service

BASRA, Iraq — Personally, said Halid Jamir Bolus, an ice-cream maker, he had got used to it, living within a shell's drop of a front line. But his birds, he said, in a resigned way that admitted some humor, they felt it. He gestured to a a faded memory and whose future seems full of cage atwitter with budgengars, all blue and emer-

"When the shells come," he said, "they make too much noise." And that offers them some distinc-

Around here, apart from the shells and the broken drumbeat of artillery from the front, people do not make much noise, because many have left their homes, just back from the flatness of the Shatt al Arab, the waterway that has been a source of dispute between Iran and Iraq for decades.

The nearest Iranian positions are reckoned to be only nine miles (15 kilometers) away, beyond the listing hulks of tankers in the waterway, monuments to the start of the war seven years ago this month. In many parts of Basra, the homes are shuttered. The impression is of a city whose past is

Basru is normally Iraq's second most populous city and is the closest major settlement to the hostilities. By some estimates, half its population of 1.5 million has left because of incessant Iranian shelling, which might peak with hundreds of rounds a day or just sputter along, as it did Wednesday, with only 20 shells falling.

The attrition has ebbed will and energies, which have been dissipated in the heat of a city painted in See BASRA, Page 5

U.S. Protests 'Ambush' Of 2 in East Germany

WASHINGTON — President Ronald Reagan said Friday that the United States had protested that two members of a U.S. military lisison team in East Germany came under fire from a Soviet patrol.

Earlier Friday, Secretary of State George P. Shultz called the shooting "unacceptable behavior" and said the Soviet foreign minister, Eduard A Shevardnadze, who was visiting Washington, promised to look into the case promptly.
[Mr. Shevardnadze said Friday

that Moscow had apologized to the United States over the incident Agence France-Presse reported from Washington.]

The Pentagon said Friday that an air force master sergeant driving a vehicle was slightly wounded by bullet fragments. An air force captain with him was not hurt.

U.S. Army Major Dennis Pinkham at European Command Headquarters in West Germany said the two-man U.S. liaison team, in a about this. Our men were not in a four-wheel-drive vehicle, "encountered a group of Soviet soldiers and were fired at by at least one of these

A Pentagon officer called it "sort of an ambush situation." Mr. Shultz, at a White House

tions on arms control and other and prevented from doing so." U.S.-Soviet issues, said of the shoottook it up with Foreign Minister of Neuroppin.

view that this is just unacceptable Major Pinkham said the vehicle

was hit seven times, shattering win-dow glass. One member of the team was wounded by a bullet fragment." U.S. officials were quick to bring up the March 1985 killing of Major Arthur D. Nicholson by a Sovie sentry in East Germany.
"We wish to emphasize as we did

when Nicholson was killed, their action is inexcusable," a Pentagon statement said. The airman in Thursday's incident, like Major Nicholson, was attached to the U.S. Military Liaison Mission Team in Potsdam, East Germany.

The military liaison missions were created in 1947 by the four occupy-ing powers in Germany after World War II - Britain, France, the Soviet Union and the United States - to foster cooperation. The Soviet Union has a team in West Germany. "We need to find out much more

restricted area. There was no excuse for the use of deadly force," said a Pentagon official, who insisted on anonymity.

They were traveling. They were intercepted. It was like an ambush. They wanted to continue on after briefing on three days of negotia- the shooting, but they were detained

The incident happened Thursday ing: "We heard about this late yes- afternoon about 10 miles (16 kiloterday afternoon and immediately meters) northeast of the small town

Two points were made by almost everyone interviewed after Mr. Biden's news conference to deal with charges of plagiarism of campaign speeches by the Delaware Democrat and a incident of a similar character during his law school

In a year when voters bave

been sensitized to issues of personal trust and integrity by a series of

presidential compaign make the · And for a candidate who plagiarism question a serious prob-lem threatening his political future, political insiders in both parties many voters this week under auspi-

cious circumstances as the chairman of the Senate Judiciary Comdale's 1984 campaign. "There's no H. Bork to the Supreme Court, having to deal with such a question is

Predictably, the Washington re-action to the sudden flap that be-gan blowing up around Mr. Biden only last Saturday was more extreme than that around the country. But several observers predicted the national reaction could grow with media coverage of the Biden news conference. Johnny Carson in

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highly publicized scandals, it is po-litically dangerous for Mr. Biden or anyone else — to be placed in a position of having to defend his personal honor and character.

hoped to introduce himself to

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mittee holding televised bearings on the nomination of Judge Robert at least a distraction and perhaps a Those officials were identified as

In the context of the report, that finding is meant to explain why the secret arms shipments to Iran were allowed to continue over the objec-tions of senior officials like Secretary of State George P. Shultz and

The senators and representatives discussing the report have either seen the first draft of the committees' final report, which was prepared by the staff in consultation with the panels' leaders, or have discussed the draft with colleagues and staff assistants familiar with it. This report is scheduled to be pub-

Daniel K. Inouye, Democrat of

Of Stagnant Economy

Dampens Hopes for Plan's Success

By Jackson Diehl New York Times Service
WARSAW — Poland's Communist leadership, inspired by the example of Mikhail S. Gorbachev, is

preparing to launch a major new

program of economic reform. But the country's failure to resolve the deep political conflicts of the Soli-darity era is dampening hopes for

meaningful change, according to

government officials and political

After months of remarkably

open national debate, a special government commission is due to present a broad plan for changes in

the socialist economic system next month that should, at least in the-

ory, rank Poland among the leaders

Drawn up in the face of long-

lasting economic stagnation, the program represents the first com-

prehensive reform effort in Poland

since the banning of Solidarity, the independent trade union move-

ment. Officials say it will funda-

mentally change the nature of

Communist rule in Poland, decen-

tralizing power and significantly

expanding opportunities for pri-

Wojciech Jaruzelski, they ask

whether it will be possible to imple-

ment the reforms in the face of stiff

resistance from an entrenched bu-

reancracy and a distrustful society.

government leaders that the last

reform program, adopted in the last weeks of Solidarity's existence

in 1981, never was effectively car-

ried out. Published government

polls show that most of Poland's 38

further reforms by General Jaru-

zelski's government will improve

United Press International

Korean visit unexpectedly stretched

to II days because of emergency

on Thursday, Mr. Barco met with

the South Korean president, Chun

Doo Hwan, and they announced a

19-point communiqué on economic

and technological exchanges. Mr. Barco, 66, the first South American

president ever to visit the country,

underwent surgery for a perforated colon and peritonitis.

the country's situation.

illion people do not believe that

General Jarozelski, analysts say,

It is generally acknowledged by

rate enterprise.

of such East bloc reforms.

signed reform plans-

Since then several leading Polish experts on economic reform, after years on the political sidelines, have prepared detailed measures that are to be presented next month in the Polish parliament.

an Eastern Europe otherwise ruled by veteran traditionalists.

While neighbors such as Czecho-

slovakia and East Germany have

appeared half-hearted in following

Mr. Gorbachev or even openly re-sisted, General Jaruzelski has at-

tempted in the last six months to

use the climate of renewal created

by the Soviet leader to break the

Some of the steps are familiar from policies carried out in Hunga-ry and China that seek to use market tools of capitalism to make the socialist economy more efficient. linking the National Aeronautics Poles may soon be allowed to buy and Space Administration with rebonds and even stocks from state companies, for example, and the state monetary monopoly is to be broken up next year into a West- what is to stop the Soviet Union ern-style, nominally competitive

is still haunted by the political lega-Several aspects of the Polish cy of his suppression of Solidarity. Without the help of the union, its plan, however, make it at once more daring and more difficult followers, or the Roman Catholic than reforms attempted elsewhere in the East bloc. Officials say it will Church, the government can have involve a significant expansion of private enterprise in Poland, easing Colombia Chief Ends controls on private businesses and allowing such new forms of enter-prise as joint ventures between Washington said, "We have a num-His South Korea Visit state and private companies in ar- ber of measures and complete syscas ranging from electronics to tems to preclude inadvertent or in-SEOUL - President Virgilio

auto parts. This move is likely to correct access to our computers." Barco Vargas of Colombia left for draw resistance from Communist Mike Ball of B.I.S. Applied Syshome Friday after a three-day South ideologues as well as workers who terms Ltd. in London, which speresent inequalities of income. Jaruzelski's planners is to end chronic shortages of raw materials, energy and consumer goods by bal-

during the past five years.

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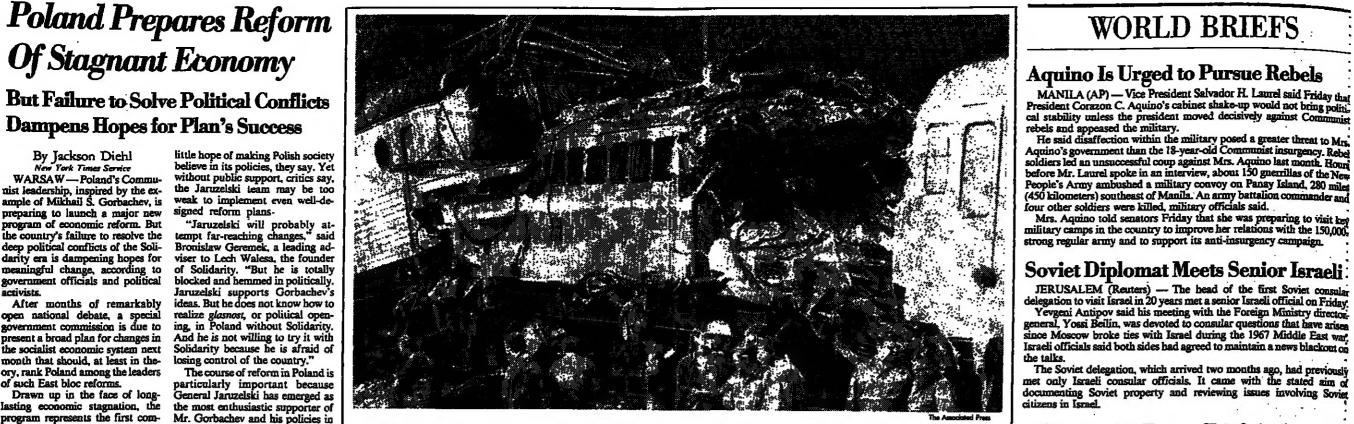
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SIGNIFICANT MOMENTS AT THE

PROGRAM IN SIGNIFICANT LIVES



TRAIN CRASH — Three persons were killed and 65 town of Lambach. One was running from Innsbruck to hurt when two trains collided Friday near the Austrian Vienna, the other was going from Vienna to Salzburg.

Computer 'Hacking': Is Anything Secure?

By Barry James

A 17-year-old Chicago high school student, in another case of form began to gather when General computer intrusion, has been accused of stealing \$1 million worth of software by breaking into American Telephone & Telegraph computer systems around the United

Prosecutors said the youth was also suspected of using a personal computer in his bedroom to break into NATO computers in North Carolina and Georgia and was "on the verge" of being able to disrupt AT&T's telephone network.

The report came after a Hamburg club of "hackers," as amateur computer enthusiasts are known, said this week that its members had broken into a computer network search centers in Western Europe.

The news has raised this question: if amateur hackers can do it, from trying to break into sensitive Western computer systems?

The answer, according to security experts, is nothing.

"I presume we are secure," a North Atlantic Treaty Organiza-tion official in Brussels said. "But if we are not. I don't think it's anything we would want to talk about.

cializes in computer security, said, The other task faced by General "Keeping secrets is basically a truzelski's planners is to end question of how much you want to invest in countermeasures.

Mr. Ball said the recently reportancing supply and demand. In ed hacking cases involved people many cases, this will require steep breaking into systems through the price increases and tough controls public telephone network using on wage-austerity measures that modems. The obvious way of cirhave been repeatedly, and success- cumventing that danger, he said, is fully, bucked by Polish workers to communicate sensitive data only over privately leased lines.

In Washington, a NASA spokesman said that the Hamburg hackers had broken into a system that that security experts also tap into said electronic espionage by the Sodid not include secret information and that the data were carried over ordinary telephone lines.

Mr. Ball said it was possible to code, before storing it in a comput-er system. This makes information basically secure against outside intrusion, he said, but if done on a large scale can cost hundreds of thousands of dollars. Hackers often exchange infor-

By Susan Okie

Washington Part Service
WASHINGTON — Regular

mammograms to check for

breast cancer, widely recom-

mended for women over 50, can

also prevent deaths of women in

their 40s, according to results of

an American Cancer Society

In both age groups, women

whose breast cancer was found

while they were enrolled in a na-

tional study that included annual

mammograms had survival rates

substantially higher than expect-ed from national statistics, sug-

gesting that more cancers were

detected at an early, curable

Thursday that the findings

ommendations that women 40 or

older have a mammogram annu-

ally. A mammogram is a special

type of X-ray used to view the

In the United States, breast

Cancer experts predicted

the bulletin boards to discover any In addition, computers can be

encrypt data, or to convert it into hackers from running number- tightly guarded defense ministries. crunching programs designed to discover pass codes. "If you don't get the access code right after a tapping Western secrets without couple of tries," he said, the system "automatically closes down and re-Hans G. Nilsson, who is con-

Study Backs Earlier Mammograms

10 women. The society estimates

that 41,000 American women

will die of the disease this year,

placing it second only to hung

cancer as a cause of cancer

The new report is an analysis

of breast cancer survival data

among women who participated

in the Breast Cancer Detection

Demonstration Project, an \$80

million program sponsored in

the 1970s by the society and the

National Cancer Institute to

study the benefits of regular

mammoerams and breast exami-

The project, which involved

280,000 women, provided annual

screening examinations, includ-

ing a physical examination and

five years. The examinations re-

vealed breast cancers in 4.257

women, who were then sent to

their own doctors for treatment.

the September-October issue of

cancer strikes about one out of Ca, the cancer society's journal, during a physical examination.

The new report, published in

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deaths among women.

computer systems on electronic puter related crime for the Council bulletin boards. Mr. Ball suggested of Europe in Strasbourg, France, viet Union was a possibility, particularly if directed against companies that might have systems that are equipped with software to prevent more vulnerable than those of

The question remains, however, about whether electronic spies are being detected.

"At a guess, not more than 5 percent of computer crime is detected," Mr. Nilsson said, "and

women with detailed national

breast cancer survival statistics

compiled by the National Can-

Dr. Charles R. Smart, chief of

the cancer institute's Early De-

tection Branch, said that if doc-

tors across the country would

recommend regular mammo-

grams for their female patients

over 40, the national death rate

from breast cancer might be cut

When mammograms were first

being developed, they delivered significant radiation doses, rais-

ing concerns that if a woman was

regularly tested over her lifetime.

the cumulative radiation expo-

sure might actually increase her

But in recent years, techno-

logical advances have greatly re-

duced the radiation doses in-

volved. At the same time,

mammograms can detect many

breast cancers too small to be felt

by 46 percent, as was seen in the

cer Institute.

Le Pen Defends Gas Chamber Remark PARIS (AP) - Jean-Marie Le

A Spanish Defense Ministry spokesman said the document was the last

on the part of the four nations to move toward development.

The EFA project began in 1983. Since then, three similar documents

feasibility and operational plan expected before a required final decision

9.5-ton, 165-foot (50-meter) wing-span jets to be the countries' principal states 1995, the spokesman said.

WORLD BRIEFS

Pen, leader of the far right National Front, lashed out at his critics Friday, saying that the "pro-immi-grant lobby" was conducting a witch hunt against him after comments be made about Nazi gas In a statement to reporters at the

National Assembly, Mr. Le Pen called on French Jews not to be frightened by "this campaign of lying," adding: "France has the same love for all of its sons, no matter what their race or religion."

On Sunday, in a radio interview, the National Front leader had referred to the Nazi gas chambers. used to kill Jews during World War II. as a "detail" of history, a remark that brought widespread protests. He said Friday, however, that his

full response had "left no doubt about what I think of the martyrization of the Jewish people of Europe by the Nazis and about the condemnation that I have for this crime."



Jean-Marie Le Pen

Extremists Raid Schools in Punjab

CHANDIGARH, India (AP) — Suspected Sikh extremists attacked schools with automatic weapons in five villages Friday, opening fire on the little of the little Hindu teachers and killing a total of eight persons, the police said.

It was the second day in which attackers killed Hindus in the northern state of Punjab, where Sikhs are a majority. Seven Hindus were killed monosexuals Protest. His

Thursday night at a Hindu bazaar in Amritsar.

A police spokesman said the attacks were in villages so far apart that more than one gang must have been involved. The attackers came in jeeps and sought out only Hindu teachers, he said.

FAA Inspection Faults Delta Pilots

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Aviation Administration said of the San Franciscans Friday that an inspection of pilots at Delta Air Lines has found frequent carried and coordination and "lanses of continuous and coordination examples of poor communications and coordination and "lapses of https://www.sample. discipline" in the cocknit.

In a report prompted by a series of pilot errors last summer, the FAA to the prompted by a series of pilot errors last summer, the FAA said the shortcomings were a result of a "lack of clear-cut, definitive "so this trp, but in San guidance" from Delta's management. The FAA said that Delta pilots with it large so moses. guidance" from Delta's management. The FAA said that Delta pilots were in general compliance with safety regulations but that "instances of a breakdown of communications, a lack of crew coordination, and lapses of discipline in Delta's cockpits" were regularly observed.

Delta issued a statement saying the FAA had found nothing that was considered a safety violation and had levied no fines. The airline said it was a large for resolve problems on flight crew coordination.

had already taken steps to resolve problems on flight crew coordination.

Soviet Participants in Missile Crisis To Discuss the Affair at U.S. Meeting

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was seen as an opportunity to ex-plore some of the many remaining puzzles of an event that, many historians contend, brought the world closer to nuclear war than it has

been before or since. James G. Blight, an organizer of the Harvard conference, said invitations had been sent to such senior Soviet officials as Andrei A. Gromyko, who was Khrushchev's (oreign minister and is now president of the Soviet Union, and Anatoli F. Dobrynin, the Soviet ambassador to the United States during the cri-

is, but they declined to attend or failed to respond to the request.
"There's still a gap, since we won't have the real Soviet counterparts to people like McNamara and Bundy," Mr. Blight said.

But, emphasizing the unprece-dented nature of a Soviet-American discussion of the crisis, he said, "It's enough to get the people that we have behind closed doors and see what comes out of it."

The Cuban missile crisis began in October 1962 when American reconnaissance photographs taken over Cuba provided indisputable proof that the Russians were building missile installations there.

nouncing a naval blockade of Cuba. A tense week of negotiations and public statements followed, tapes, the contents of which have ending finally when Khrushchev never before been made public.

about American actions, "From the Soviet side," he said, "the question might well be, why, oh, why did Kennedy decide to make a crisis out of it, since it didn't really become a crisis until he made his

statement on television? "It's clear now that the Soviets were as shocked by that as we were by the fact that they put the missiles into Cuba in the first place,"

The planned conference was prompted by a meeting, held in Florida in March, at which a group of Kennedy administration officials spent four days discussing the Cuban missile crisis. That gathering produced the idea for a further neeting that would include participants from what Mr. Blight called the other variant," meaning the

The conference, which will take place Oct. 11 to 13 in Cambridge, Massachusetts, will include a closed-door session, a transcript of which will be made public after participants have reviewed it. There will also be several public

In one session, Mr. Bundy is to give a summary of conversations On Oct. 22, Kennedy made a held during the crisis by Kennedy nationally televised speech an- and several of his senior assistants that Kennedy secretly taped. Mr. Bundy has made a transcript of the Employees of Japan Air Lines and Northwest Airlines caused flight cancellations Friday at Seoul's Kimpo International Airport as they pressed demands for higher wages and better working conditions. (UPI)

across the country.

Europe Offers to Launch Satellites for Indonesia

JAKARTA — Europe's Ariane-

space consortium, buoyed by the success of its latest rocket launching, is offering to launch Indonesian satellites at a reduced price to entice business away from the United States. Frèdéric d'Allest, president of

Arianespace, was quoted Friday as saying the consortium has offered to launch Indonesia's Palapa B-2R telecommunications satellite earlier and more cheaply than the Americans could do it.

Mr. d'Allest spoke to reporters from the Indonesian newspapers Kompas and Suara Pembaruan at the Arianespace center in Kourou. French Guiana, after the launching of two satellites Wednesday. He said he made the offer during

a previously undisclosed visit he made to Indonesia two weeks ago to meet the telecommunications minister, Achmad Tahir, and the minister for research and technology. Yusuf Habibie.

Indonesia relies on satellite communications to link its archipelago of 13.000 islands, but setbacks in the U.S. space program have de-layed the launching of Indonesian with both the Soviet Union and

Mr. d'Allest was quoted as saying the European space consortium was offering a price 10 percent under the cost of a launching by a U.S. Delta rocket.

It would be able to put the satellite into orbit in March, 1990, whereas the United States was not ready to launch it until the end of that year.

Kompas said a launching by a Delta rocket would cost \$60 mil-

Mr. d'Allest said he had also discussed an Indonesian plan to build a launching center in the east of the country. Indonesia believes its position on the equator makes it ideally located for launchings.

The Palapa B-2R was bought back by Indonesia from a consor-tium that financed its recovery alter it was placed into an incorrect orbit during a U.S. Challenger mission in 1984.

Indonesia has until now refied on the United States for launchings, but it has become worned by delays caused by the explosion of a China about using their launchers. Embracing Brendan O'Roushe, d.

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cal stability unless the president moved decisively against Communist rebels and appeased the military.

He said disaffection within the military posed a greater threat to Mrs. Aquino's government than the 18-year-old Communist insurgency. Rebel soldiers led an unsuccessful coup against Mrs. Aquino last month. Hours before Mr. Laurel spoke in an interview, about 150 guerrillas of the New People's Army ambushed a military convoy on Panay Island, 280 miles (450 kilometers) southeast of Manila. An army battalion commander and four other soldiers were killed, military officials said.

Mrs. Aquino told senators Friday that she was preparing to visit key military camps in the country to improve her relations with the 150,000 strong regular army and to support its anti-insurgency campaign.

JERUSALEM (Reuters) — The head of the turst Soviet consular delegation to visit Israel in 20 years met a senior Israeli official on Friday. Yevgeni Antipov said his meeting with the Foreign Ministry directorgeneral. Yossi Beilin, was devoted to consular questions that have arisen since Moscow broke ties with Israel during the 1967 Middle East war. Israeli officials said both sides had agreed to maintain a news blackout on the talks. The Soviet delegation, which arrived two months ago, had previously met only Israeli consular officials. It came with the stated aim of documenting Soviet property and reviewing issues involving and reviewing and reviewing issues involving and reviewing and rev MADRID (AP) — The air force chiefs of staff of Spain, Britain, Italy and West Germany signed an accord Friday outlining the operational and technical features to be included in a European Fighter Aircraft that the four countries plan to build by the mid-1990s.

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"Why, oh, why did he put the mis-Central Committee of the Soviet unist Party. Organizers said that the threesiles in in the first place?" FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, English speaking, Sun. 9:00, Baggasensgade 7, (Bus 3,5,7,16). Dr. R.J. Robinson, Min. TeL; (01) 175726. day meeting, which will include closed-door and public sessions, Mr. Blight said the Russians may well have their own questions

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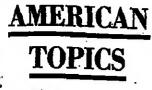
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An Early Example Of Robertson's Faith

In a profile of the Reverend Pat Robertson, who plans to announce his candidacy for the Republican presidential nomination Oct. I, The Washington Post recounts the following:

The young mother had just entered the eighth month of a tiring pregnancy when her hus-band dropped a devastating piece of news. He felt a need, he said, to go to a rustic island in Canada for a few weeks to find communion with God. She would be left alone to manage her pregnancy, care for the cou-ple's toddler son and supervise the family's move to a new

"Adelia (Dede) Robertson struggled mightily to change her husband's mind. She ridiculed him as a schizoid religious fanatic. She argued. She wept. She begged. But Marion G. (Pat) Robertson, then a budding seminarian, turned aside his wife's pleas with the unbending selfsurance that would later help him achieve remarkable succes - as a broadcaster and and national religious leader. This is God who is commanding me,' he said.

"And so Robertson set off for his Canadian retreat, where he soon received an urgent letter from his wife: 'Please come back, I need you desperately.' The confused young husband called on God for advice and received clear guidance. He sat down and wrote his wife that she would have to get by without him."

The Post said Mr. Robertson

still likes to tell this story today as an early example of "his intimate, daily relationship with

Short Takes

"It goes without saying that Americans think that anything English is classy," writes the syndicated columnist Richard Cohen. "The Washington Post recently devoted an article to the naming of housing developments. The British motif pre-dominates. Names like Kings Valley Manor and the Crest of Wickford have been given to de-velopments. A variation of the British theme is the equestrian one. Thus we get Foxchase, Hunt Country and Derbyshire." Mr.

By Joseph Berger



der Pluym standing in his 20-foot-high sand castle that be built in Santa Monica, California. The sand castle, which uses 160 tons of sand and which Mr. Vander Pluym claims is the world's tallest, was begun July 18.

Cohen remarks that "probably | films as "No Way Out," "The the prime leisure activity of Hunt Country residents is watching in which promiscuity is prevacall a development 'TV Acres.' '

College football is big busi-ness, and not only to the universities and television networks. Take Penn State University at State College, Pennsylvania, whose football team was rated the best in the country in 1986. A study by the university's Center for Regional Business Analysis concluded that last year's seven home games rained more than \$20.4 million on the town and its environs - money spent on hotel rooms, restaurant meals, gasoline, parking fees, souvenirs, chrysanthemums and so forth.

Sexual promiscuity in Hollywood films supposedly is being cut back because of the AIDS threat, says Janet Maslin in The New York Times, but such new

As Homosexuals Protest, He Stresses Forgiveness of 'Sin'

fice. "Perhaps the current moral climate will indeed make sexual permissiveness seem woefully unfashionable," Miss Maslin writes. "But the movies have alcautious, fearful times that escapism could be welcome."

A memorphin was impersonat-ing a police officer, with much success, when someone broke the window of his patrol car and stole him. Police in Linderwood, New Jersey, had placed the life size dummy behind the wheel of a parket squad car to slow down speeders without tying up a real policemen. "The thing was very successful." Police Chief Raymond Wilson said. "It looked so real a woman stopped one day and walked up and asked direc-

Bork Denies He Would Push Conservative Agenda Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches and turned radically to the right vorite son of the overwhelmingly ings is Professor Mirjan Damaska, "I listen to Biden and Kennedy WASHINGTON — Judge Robatter confirmation. The Bork denied Friday that he Liberal opposition to Judge Bork Times reported, and his performance of Bork's former office. The confirmation to Judge Bork Times reported, and his performance of Judge Bork Times reported and Judge Bork Times

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During the fourth day of confirmation hearings by the Senate Judiciary Committee, which will recommend to the Senate whether to opinion.

We have to say I we never seen that the supporters revel in his fluent expenses of court decisions, and what they see as his clear intellectual baum told the judge that the 1984 decision by the U.S. Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia was a good example of the judge's

insensitivity to women.

The women of America have much to be frightened about from your appointment, blacks as well," said Mr. Metzenbaum, an Ohio Democrat. "You are a man with

Judge Bork said the 1984 ruling merely upheld a finding by the Oc-cupational Safety and Health Adnistration that American Cyanamid Co. could not adequately reduce lead levels in one department to ensure the safety of fetuses.

Since it was impossible to make the workplace safe, the company

opinion," Judge Bork said. "It is nomination of Judge Robert H. simply upholding a federal agency decision." He said the choice was to With the 11 other committee "remove all women from the de-members expected to split 6 to 5 women who were sterilized."

"disgraced in history" if he aban-ential committee's blessing. doned the relatively moderate Even in appearance, they are an

would press a conservative political has coalesced around two argumance before the Judiciary Comments: that the views he has ex- mittee this week seems to be leav-He also came under fresh attack pressed in a 25-year career as law- ing his former colleagues more for a ruling he wrote upholding a yer, scholar and judge place him company's policy forcing women in outside the mainstream of general-a lead-filled workplace to be sterildence; and that his moderate Owen L Fiss, one of three memand the professor saying. Wait a ly take him on," said David Fraser, During the fourth day of confirstances this week merely reflect his bers of the faculty who expect to minute, there are distinctions here.' a postgraduate student. "They're

pained than proud. questions about his integrity," said

"The atmosphere of the hearings," Professor Damaska said. "reminds me of a first-year class in constitutional law, where you very "I think he's raised very serious often find the students throwing lament his brilliance: "There's no gross simplicities at the professor one on the committee who can real-

goguery," said Alex Kogan, a law student. "I think it's disgusting. I don't think they're listening to what he's saying.

Students who oppose Judge Bork a postgraduate student. "They're taking him on as if they can parse cases like Griswold vs. Connecticut

and win, and of course they can't." He added, "Instead of a bunch of white guys trying to talk law, they should have a woman of color who won't be able to get an abortion:

He also said Judge Bork would allow "government in the bed-room," oppose consumers and lim. Swing Votes on Panel: An Unlikely Trio

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for a reason to justify voting against.'

justify voting for, and DeConcini is looking

took a turn at questioning Judge of what kinds of speech he would Bork. Two said they came away protect under the Bill of Rights.

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Washington Post Service
WASHINGTON — Three more sharply contrasting senators would be difficult to find: a folksy, southern Democrat who often votes with Republicans; an urbane, northern Republican who often votes with politician of yore. Democrats; and a cautious, western centrist known for balancing each liberal vote with a conserva-

Yet Howell Heffin. Democrat of Alabama, Arien Specter, Republican of Pennsylvania, and Dennis said women could remain only if DeConcini, Democrat of Arizona, they underwent sterilization. Five have become political brethren this out of 30 women chose to do so.

"That is not a pro-sterilization on the Senate Judiciary Commit-

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partment or offer continuous em-ployment in the department to of this unlikely trio will decide omen who were sterilized."

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stands he has taken in the hearings unmatched set. Mr. DeConcini has

the gaunt face of the hard-nosed nee that he did not know how former prosecutor that he is; Mr. Specter, also a former prosecutor, has a studious demeanor, halfglasses poised on his nose; and Mr. Heflin, a huge, rumpled figure, re-sembles a homegrown southern

Each has vowed to keep his mind

open until the hearings conclude,

but Wednesday and Thursday they

began to tip their hands as each

After a contentious exchange on

women's rights, civil rights and pri-vacy, in which Judge Bork sought

to emphasize moderate features of

his philosophy, Mr. DeConcini

with serious doubts.

"you're going to protect the citizens tion about his approach." Mr. of this country" against sex discrimination.

"I'm not trying to determine whether or not he's a conservative,"
Mr. DeConcini said in an interview later. "My tastes actually run in that direction. I'm trying to decide

whether or not he is really radical,"

Bork for shifting his interpretation

how he could reconcile his philoso-

pby of "judicial restraint" with the

not spelled out in the Constitution.

By Tom Kenworthy

sentative Jim Wright, the

speaker of the House of Repre-

sentatives, characterized Presi-

dent Ronald Reagan on Friday

who "willfully" ignores facts

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as a mediocre chief executive

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WASHINGTON — Repre-

Mr. Specier criticized Judge

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the questioning. How the three will vote is a matter of some intrigue on the committee and among analysts. It is widely believed that Mr. Heflin, former chief justice of the Alabama Supreme Court, who frequently has supported the White House in close

If he opposes Judge Bork, the thinking goes, a number of other southern Democrats will too.

votes, is the most sought-after of

Fellow Democrats said Wednesday, however, that Mr. Hellin was leaning in favor of Judge Bork.

"I think Hellin is looking for a reason to justify voting for, and to justify voting against," said a Democrat close to both senators.

He also challenged Judge Bork on In addition, analysts caution that Mr. DeConcini, who faces recourt's role in responding to what election in 1988 in heavily Republi-Mr. Specter called "the needs of the can Arizona, may feel pressure to - rectifying moral wrongs vote for Judge Bork despite his an-

Latin Diplomats Voicing | House Speaker Castigates Reagan Doubts About Reagan

By John M. Goshko

WASHINGTON - President Ronald Reagan's criticism of the Central American peace process and his emphasis on supporting the Nicaraguan rebels have rekindled suspicion among some Central American officials and members of Congress that he does not want an accommodation with Nicaragua's leaders, according to diplomats from the region.

In recent days, doubts about Mr. Reagan's commitment to achieving a regional peace agreement have been voiced by Central American supporters of the plan put forward by Costa Rica's president, Oscar that such a goal ignores reality. Arias Sanchez, and agreed to by

House speaker, Jim Wright of Tex-The Mass at the Laguna Secaraceway was perhaps the most colorful of the pope's trip. Throngs something that helped lead to the Guatemala decision.

Mr. Wright made clear this week that his arrangements with Mr. Reagan for a bipartisan approach have been strained close to the breaking point by what he regards ministration's "active opas the adr position" to the peace talks.

Central American diplomats said they were disappointed by the administration's spurning of their pleas not to raise the issue of continued aid for the Nicaraguan rebels, known as contras, before the Nov. 7 deadline set in Guatemala for working out a cease-fire.

The diplomats were also unhanpy about Mr. Reagan's statements last weekend that the Arias plan is insufficient to force the "complete democratization" of Nicaragua. Mr. Wright said Thursday that

recent talks with Central American officials had given him cause for cantions optimism that a cease-fire accord could be reached before The White House spokesman, Marlin Fitzwater, has demed that

tries. But he insisted that "this kind

of criticism in no way is meant to

be antagonistic to the plan or to

however, contend that recent com-

ments by Mr. Reagan, as well as congressional testimony by Secre-tary of State George P. Shultz last

Critics of the administration,

indicate lack of support."

mosexual, shouted "Pope go home!" as John Paul entered the the administration is trying to force Nicaragna to reject an agreement by raising the negotiating stakes. He acknowledged continuing basilica. The demonstrators were noisy but good-natured and there was no violence. U.S. concern that the Arias plan Most of the people inside the does not ensure that Nicaragua will church were elderly, some of them permit democratization and cut its military ties to Communist coun-

guite frail. In the section where the AIDS victims were gathered, pale, drawn faces, some badly scarred with Kaposi's sarcoma, a frequent result of the syndrome, dotted the

AIDS through a blood transfusion at birth.

John Pani picked the child up and hugged him as the crowd cheered. The boy tugged the pope's

love. "The greatest proof of God's love is shown in the fact that He loves us in our human condition, with our weaknesses and needs."

Referring to the protest taking place a few blocks away, Earl McLeod, 53, said, "If they had heard what I had heard they would

under any conditions, a Marxist In an interview last week in U.S. News & World Report, Mr. Reagan said the contras must be supported until there is an agreement guaranteeing "complete democrati-zation" of Nicaragua.

Mr. Reagen's critics say the implication is that the administration. which formerly sought to over-throw the Sandinists by force, is offering them the alternative of agreeing in negotiations to accept a U.S.-dictated model of how Nicaragua should be governed.

Costa Rica's foreign minister, Ro-drigo Madrigal Nieto, said last week "The Sandinista leaders are

of democracy the Reagan adminis-

the Sendinistas will accept certain democratic measures called for in the Arias plan - greater freedom of the press, independent political washington — There is lit-parties, guarantees of civil rights — the evidence so far of an immediate that will provide the beginnings of broad threat to the environment or an infrastructure that cannot be public health from scid rain, a Reaeasily dismantled and that can be built upon."

Helen Dewar of The Washington mentalists and the Canadian gov-Post reported from Managua: Secretary of Education William

versary of the U.S. Constitution on conducting a long-term assessment Thursday by visiting Nicaragua and reaffirming the administra-tion's commitment to the contras.

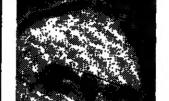
ence. "To abandon the contras is to The assessment was contained in enter on an irreversible course, an interim report Thursday. The Once abandoned, they are lost." Mr. Bennett's daylong visit coin-

cided with the opening of two members of Congress and some scimeetings in Managua to discuss entists criticized the report, calling putting the Central American it a misleading political document

The five regional foreign ministers met, as did a group of Latin American deputy ministers and representatives from the United Nations and the Organization. Nations and the Organization of da's environment minister, Thomas American States, members of a McMillan, who said that "it was commission that will oversee com- bad science and bad policy" be- ic rain, snow, fog or dry particles. Thailand and Venezuela. pliance with the accord.

The foreign ministers expressed optimism about the accord's progress, but Mr. Bennett amplified the istration's objections to it.

The five presidents "are going by their lights," he said, "but we must go by ours. We believe we must honor our commitment to the conweek, strongly suggest that the ad-ministration is unwilling to accept, pressure point for reform." tras because they are an essential



conceived notions of reality. Mr. Wright, a Democrat from Texas, described Mr. Reagan at a breakfast with reporters as a "charming person, a well-meaning person, not an evil person." but one who "hasn't the faintest idea of the contents of legislation or the

application of real facts to real problems." Mr. Reagan, added Mr.

Wright, "has the ability to

psych himself up to reject factu-al data if they don't conform to

Asked if Mr. Reagan is a good president, Mr. Wright said without hesitation, "No."

"He's smart but he's ignorant of the facts a president ought to know, and willfully so," said the

An example of the presi-dent's refusal to confront factual data, Mr. Wright said, is Mr. Reagan's continued belief that his administration's 1981 tax cuts and its military buildup are not the main causes of the soaring budget deficit during his tenure.

"I like him personally, but not as president," said Mr.

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By Philip Shabecoff New York Times Service

Jim Wright

WASHINGTON - There is litgan administration study group has concluded in a report that drew ■ U.S. Aide Visits Nicaragna sharp criticism from U.S. environcoment

The interagency National Acid Bennett marked the 200th anni- Precipitation Program, which is of acid rain that was ordered by Congress, said studies so far showed that damage to lakes from "We will support the contras," acid rain was limited to a few areas,
Mr. Bennett said at a news confer. mostly in the U.S. Northeast.

final report is due in 1990.

Environmentalists, a number of

cause it "downplays the urgency of Because acid rain has been found the problem." Canada says acid to destroy freshwater life and is rain from the United States is dam- suspected of damaging forests. aging its lakes and forests, and crops and human health, Congress

fected areas, "a significant increase factories or power plants that use in the number of acidic lakes is coal. unlikely to occur over the next few decades" at the corrent level of pollution. The summary of the report also found little damage to forests, no damage to crops and "no demonstrated effects" on human health from acid rain.

Earlier this year, in a concession to Canadian demands, President request by Kongsberg Vaapenfa-Ronald Reagan agreed to consider brikk, the state-owned armaments a proposal that the two nations company that sold sensitive technegotiate a bilateral accord on con-trolling acid rain. But he has run missiles to four developing nations, into resistance in Congress over government officials said. getting money for more research.

Dr. J. Laurence Kulp, executive director of the assessment pro-gram, said the report was a "stateof-the-science document" and "not a policy document at all."

Acid rain is a form of air pollution, largely oxides of sulfur and nitrogen, that travel through the

wants Washington to reduce the damage.

The report said that, in the af-

Norway Refuses More Arms Sales

OSLO - Norway has rejected a

Defense industry sources warned Thursday that the move could cripple sales of the company's Pengi

short-range missiles and push it closer to bankruptcy. The company posted a 1.1 billion krone (\$166 million) loss in the first half of 1987 and is being restructured to save its weapons division atmosphere where they change It had sought permission to sell the chemically and fall to earth as acid-missiles to Indonesia, Singapore,



The pope embracing Brendan O'Rourke, 4, who has AIDS. not be protesting."

At one point, he bugged a 4-yearpeople clustered over two sandy hillsides in a natural bowl that is old boy who contracted AIDS through a blood transfusion. Sixty-

two persons with acquired immune used as an automobile raceway. New York Times Service deficiency syndrome, among them SAN FRANCISCO — As hundreds of homosexuals protested deficiency syndrome, among them a homosexual priest, were at Mission Dolores for the pope's visit.

Many people had spent the chilly five Central American presidents at Marxists, "he said. "They make no ight on the hillisides in sleeping a meeting on Aug. 7 in Guatemals. Secret of that. They are proud of it. Criticism has also come from the They are not going to stand saide

which is full of mercy, a love which

God's love for us as our fathe position to homosexual activity, he is a strong and faithful love, a love of scaffolding.

> The pope arrived in San Francis-co by helicopter from Monturey, California, where he talked about country's prime agricultural areas. He spoke to more than 50,000

forcefully told San Franciscans
that God is always ready to forgive enables us to hope for the grace of conversion when we have sinned," even "when we have sinned." the pope said. . The theme of forgiveness of sin The Reverend Al McBride, an ing many people in wheelchairs was not new to this trip, but in San information officer for the Nation-Francisco, with its large homosexal Conference of Catholic Bishops, ual population, it appeared a point-ed appeal to homosexuals to said the pope was offering forgive-ness, love and the possibility of change their behavior and renew their faith. , conversion to all people. "In the context of the large bo-The pope never used the word mosexual population in San Fran-"homosexual." He said Thursday cisco, those words should be com-forting and resssuring," he said. at the Mission Dolores Basilica: "God loves you all, without distinction, without limit," and "He loves who are suffering from AIDS and from AIDS-related complex." the farm crisis near one of the

raceway was perhaps the most col-orful of the pope's trip. Throngs began gathering after midnight on two of the hills. The crowd, includnear the front, was divided by 110,000 pots of scarlet petunias that stretched up a hill to the foot of a 99-foot (30-meter) cross made The pope, speaking with more vigor than on other stops on his North American trip, said the

church had no solutions for farmers losing their farms through debt. He appealed to landowners and growers to respect the rights of farm workers to unionize and share in decisions about their jobs. He also praised legislation giving amnesty to many once-illegal aliens.

The pope has become a symbol

of opposition to homosexual be-

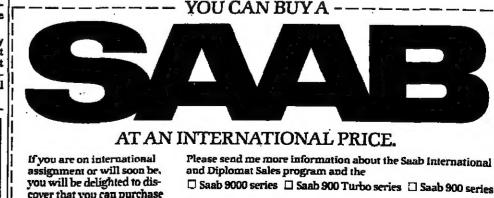
havior, among Catholics and non-Catholics alike. His visit to San Francisco attracted a number of homosexual-rights demonstrators, many of them non-Catholics. In a barricaded area about half a block from Mission Dolores, 2,000 demonstrators, most of them ho-

The pope walked down the center aisle, leaning over to touch forehe saw Brendan O'Rourke of San Jose, the 4-year-old who contracted

ears. Brendan's father, John O'Rourke, explained: "He likes to do that to people he loves." In his talk, the pope said that God does "not love us because we have merited it or are worthy of it," but because it is God's nature to

After the speech, Patrick Kelsen, 31, said: "He is someone to roll back centuries of harred for us gays. I think he cares. I don't always agree with him but I do think





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Herald Tribune.

Saving the Ozone Layer

The Reagan administration deserves other plants, and serious climatic changes. enormous credit for the part it played in achieving the world ozone treaty signed this week. On most environmental issues the administration has been more laggard than leader. On this the reverse has been true. The environmental administrator. Lee Thomas, and Secretary of State George Shultz were able to brush aside the minority of objecting ideologues within the administration and produce a sound position,

The treaty, signed in Montreal under United Nations auspices, still must be ratified, but that appears likely. It deals with chlorofluorocarbons, or CFCs, compounds widely used in air conditioning, refrigeration, the manufacture of a wide variety of foam products and as solvents. Among their other attributes, they are cheap, durable and neither flammable nor toxic. But when released into the atmosphere, as almost all eventually are, they rise to mix with and dilute the ozone layer that shields the Earth from ultraviolet radiation. A thinning of the ozone layer is thought likely to lead to more skin cancer, damage to crops and

The treaty would freeze CFC production in 1990 at 1986 levels, then cut it in half by 1999. By itself this might not be enough to stop attenuation of the ozone layer. But the 50 percent cut is expected to stimulate the development of alternate compounds, which then will supplant the offending CFCs. The chemical industry feels confident that it can produce such compounds. That may have helped to make this an easier treaty to negotiate; the affected interest group had less to lose. But the industry has behaved in exemplary fashion even so.

Some people hope the ozone treaty will become the example for other such agreements. We do not know if it can, but it is an extraordinary achievement on its own terms, the more so because of how quietly it was brought about. A major environmental threat apparently has been deflected with little of the shouting that usually accompanies such problems - maybe because there was so little shouting. Good for all involved. - THE WASHINGTON POST.

No End to the Scandal

finance — to moderate the begging for funds and buying of access around which the U.S. legislative process now revolves - is dead for this year. It set a quiet record. Seven times in the three months the bill was technically on the floor, Majority Leader Robert Byrd petitioned so that the Senate could proceed; seven times the Republicans, or enough of them, turned him down. Mr. Byrd has now withdrawn the bill, though he vows to revive it in the election year. He warns that a scandal lies ahead; others say it will take a scandal to dislodge the meas

Inevitably there will be a scandal - indisputably corrupt, giving off an unmistakable stench - and everyone will be embarrassed and start flapping, and perhaps the system will be changed. But you do not have to wait: The scandal is already here. It lies not just in the rancid system, but in the shrugs of acceptance with which the system is met, in the glib refusal of the Republicans to take the minimally necessary steps to change it. Because they are better fund-raisers than the Democrats, they think that in the short run they preserve an advantage. We doubt it. Meanwhile they tarnish themselves and the institution of which they are part.

The sums required to campaign have become too vast. An average Senate seat now costs \$3 million. That means an average senator must raise \$10,000 a week every week of his six-year term. A senator from a large state or who expects a strong opponent must raise much more. To do so, senators must sell some part of themselves and their offices.

The year began with the earthy news that Senator Lloyd Bentsen, on his ascension to the chairmanship of the Finance Committee. had created a breakfast club through which invited lobbyists could contribute \$10,000 each for the privilege of meeting with him once a month until the 1988 election. Mr.

it turned out that other pillars of rectitude on the Finance Committee had had similar arrangements, as did Majority Leader Byrd. Nor did the disbanding of the club much matter, except in preserving the semblance of propriety. Most of the same lobbyists gave Mr. Bentsen the money anyway, without the eggs. Maybe the money flows to him and Mr. Byrd and the others partly because they are such statesmen. We would like to think so. But who really does?

The House, if anything is worse. The amounts are smaller —\$300,000 for an average term — but the dependence on organized giving, on the political action committees, is higher. Many senior members of the House get more than half their money from PACs; many get more than they can spend. It is not unfair to say they are kept by the interest groups over which their committee assignments give them jurisdiction.

There are some who call this system healthy, democracy at work. To a point it is, but it is past that point. There need to be limits. The Supreme Court has said that spending limits must be voluntary, which means as a practical matter that there must be incentives to abide by them; they have to be in return for public funds. The Republicans object to public financing of campaigns. The Democrats backed it out of their bill until it was only an insurance policy for candidates who agreed to abide by the limits for their states but whose opponents would not. The Republicans (except for three moderates) still would not agree. The limits turn out to be their sticking point. They are wallowing in excess. The Senate lives with its

hand outstretched as a result. Mr. Byrd should indeed bring the bill back. Those who will not change the system should have it hung around their necks.

- THE WASHINGTON POST.

A Fund for Safe Air Travel

ical fog enveloping the troubles of civil aviation in the United States. First, despite improvements, there is an enormous need for basic facilities — runways, terminals for the buildup of the surplus. The penalty and even whole new airports. The second is requires forfeiture of \$2 in FAA operations that receipts from current aviation taxes are inadequate to meet the need.

Fed up with charges that they were hoarding trust fund dollars to make the deficit appear smaller, Elizabeth Dole, the outgoing secretary of transportation, and James Miller, director of the Office of Management and Budget, recently issued figures that illuminate the problem.

In an article in The Wall Street Journal.

Mr. Miller said that aviation user fees would produce \$3.2 billion this fiscal year. But the Federal Aviation Administration's projected spending totals \$5 billion. Over the last six years, federal aviation expenditures have totaled \$27 billion. Federal officials say that civil, as opposed to military, aviation fairly accounted for 85 percent, or \$22.7 billion. But only \$15.2 billion in revenue came from the trust fund, the rest from general revenue. Even if the accumulated \$5.6 billion surplus were added to this \$15.2

Two facts finally emerge from the orator- billion, it is clear that civil aviation is getting back more than it puts in.

Mrs. Dole and Mr. Miller blame Congress and a perverse penalty in the trust fund law money for every \$1 that capital appropria-tions fall below authorized levels. The clause is designed to preserve, in a federal budget under great pressure, some relationship between the trust fund's basic purpose - capital improvements - and its actual use.

But there is a much larger point. Even counting the surplus, there is not enough money for facilities to keep up with the growth in air travel. Ticket and fuel taxes ought to be raised substantially. Most travelers, given the choice between paying an extra dollar or two and enduring delays, discomfort and possible hazards, would gladly pay.

Current budget politics also requires guarantees that an enlarged trust fund be devoted solely to aviation. At a minimum, it ought to be possible to extract moral commitments from congressional leaders and the White House. A trust fund demands at least that much trust.

- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Other Comment

Toward a New Summit

The talks in Washington between U.S. Secretary of State George Shultz and the Soviet foreign minister, Eduard Shevardnadze, have brought an "agreement in principle" on eliminating intermediate-range nuclear weapons. The two superpowers apparently will be able to hold a new Reagan Gorbachev summit meeting (the third in two years), this one in Washington.

More novel is the readiness of both sides to solidify their rapprochement through concrete gestures to solve remaining problems. In this spirit came the announcement that talks on nuclear testing would resume by Dec. 1 (these were suspended after the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan almost eight years ago). And the proposal to hold nuclear tests

on each other's territory appears to point to a severe reduction - a final ban is still some time off - in such testing.

The two camps have also showed the

desire to move toward another objective agreed on at Reykjavik: a 50 percent reduction in strategic arms. Does [Mikhail] Gorbachev, who talks of concluding such a treaty early next year, believe that the obstacle posed by the U.S. Strategic Defense Initiative will be removed by then? Or is he willing to no longer tie an agreement on strategic nuclear weapons to the scrapping of "star wars," as he did with the Euromissiles accord? It is noteworthy that he showed very great discretion on the SDI program in an article recently published in Moscow.

- Le Monde (Paris).

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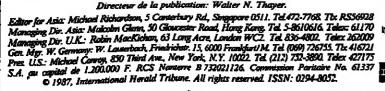
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OPINION

Why Begin's Shadow Still Hangs Over Israel

WASHINGTON — It would be a day like any other, with a singular difference about which he had told no one, not even his closest advisers. The people he might have told — his wife, Aliza, his closest Irgun comrades — were dead. So, in many ways, was Menachem Begin.

On Sept. 14, 1983, he woke as always around

5 A.M., with the first light of day filtering into his room on Balfour Street in Jerusalem. If he chose, he could look outside his window and see the protesters, a constant reminder of one of his egacies — the war in Lebanon.

The next day he was gone from office. He had served 2,251 days as prime minister, the longest tenure of any Israeli leader other than his old rival, David Ben Gurion.

Mr. Begin changed Israel and the Middle East in lasting ways. It has been four years since he left office, yet his shadow still looms over Israeli politics and the Middle East peace process. Israel today is, for better and in some ways for worse the nation that Menachem Begin made.

How does one assess him? He is a man curiously out of step with his time, a visionary who tended to look backward, over his shoulder. More than any of Israel's leaders, he is shrouded in complexity and clashing tendencies. Always, he has been a man of controversy. To many, he incarnated the best and worst of Israel. He recalls the biblical heroes and prophets with his acute and eloquent description of Jewish suffering with his political rhetoric, his defiance.

Let us look at his legacy:

Mr. Begin, though he played the role of eacemaker during the Camp David talks, may have destroyed some of Israel's options for peace. His legacy, the almost irreversible settle-ment of the West Bank and Gaza, deprived Israel

of some important options for negotiation. · He democratized Israel. He turned its political system from an elitist labor-dominated Socialist democracy into a genuinely populist de-mocracy. Mr. Begin also managed to raise the self-respect and political image of the Asian and African Jews, known as the Sephardim. Himself an Old World, East European, Diaspora Jew, he gave them a political voice.

 Mr. Begin, the champion of parliamentar-ianism, raised the stature of the Knesset and its political life, making it meaningful, functional and dynamic. After the 1948 war for independence, with the Etzel guerrilla group disbanded, the Knesset was the only arena left to him and his Herut Party. Not a distinguished legislator, he became one of the Knesset's best orators.

This is not to suggest he was a hard-working legislator, purposefully building the web of democratic structures like a patient spider. He had little patience for the actual legislative workings of the Knesset. Rather, he embodied the idea of parliamentary politics itself, defended it, insisted on it in a way that the centralized forces of Labor and the huge political figure of Ben Gurion did not.

• Mr. Begin left behind a bitterly divided Israel that has lost some of its political dynamism and decisiveness. Today's government of national unity is paralyzed on some major issues, hostage to the small religious parties that hold the balance of power. The established politicians and parties,

When was the last time the ghosts of of Senator Howard Metzenbaum's

cannot be said of the swing senators, gued, "I like my privacy as well as the

questions, the uncomprehending sen-

ator plowed on down his staff-pre-

Judge Bork fencing over Griswold, a 1965 case in which the Supreme

Court threw out a state law banning

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Griswold that Justice William Doug-

las invented the right to privacy (later

used to amite abortion laws), and in

dissent that Justice Hugo Black ar-

Here were Senator Biden and

pared list, not daring a rebuttal.

WASHINGTON — Ah, Griswold. By Day 2 of the Great

Bork Hearings, the reason he should be confirmed was already obvious:

When was the last time the Senate, let alone daytime television, was graced

Griswold vs. Connecticut and Shelley vs. Kraemer, of Justices Holmes and

Frankfurter, were allowed such play in

what Judge Robert Bork does to a

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Judge Bork even brought out the

best in his opponents. Senators Jo-

seph Biden and Edward Kennedy

have rarely been sharper. The same

with debate at such a level?

the nation's too court.

By Amos Perlmutter

lacking vision and direction, have lost control. Mr. Begin's rise to power was not just another change of government, it was a revolutionary event. His electoral victory and his subsequent seven and a half years of rule successfully institutionalized a new and radically different political culture, one which, if not yet dominant, is prominent and visible. He changed the language of politics, adding messianism to Zionism's symbols.

His Palestinian policy was not a surprise, given that he was a disciple of Ze'ev Jabotinsky. For Mr. Begin, there was no legitimate Palestinian Arab nationalist movement. The territory of Palestine, of the historical British mandate, was



undivided and complete to him, it was Eretz Israel, the Land of Israel, of the Jews. He rescued the idea of Eretz Israel from the

political fringe and brought it into the center of Israeli politics. It was this goal that determined and dictated his foreign, Arab and Palestinian policy. Thus the basis of the Begin approach was not so much the search for peace, but rather making a reality of Eretz Israel. Once Egypt was removed as a potential military threat, he could concentrate on the elimination of Palestinian nationalism, the eradication of the Palestine Liberation Organization and creating the momentum for the settlement of the West Bank.

Mr. Begin assigned the aggressive, talented and ruthless General Ariel Sharon the task of actually settling the West Bank. Within five years, General Sharon tripled the number of settlements; by the end of 1982, their Jewish population had risen from 5,023 to 30,000.

Mr. Begin then aimed to end the military and

Bork's Law: Scary to Some, but Hardly Beyond the Pale

By Charles Krauthammer

Dennis DeConcini and Arlen Spec-next one" but damned (I paraphrase)

ter, who appeared befuddled by the if I can find a blanket "right of priva-

Bork called it "nutty." Justice Black called it "offensive." Justice Potter

Stewart called it "uncommonly silly."

Which presents a profound constitu-

tional dilemma: What does a judge

do when politicians pass stupid, of-

There are two answers. Senators

Biden, Kennedy and company (politicians all) say: Override the politi-

cians, strike it down, even if you have

to grow a right with which to do so. Judges Bork and Black and Stewart

say: That would be nice, but it is one

of the inconveniences (and protec-

tions) of a constitutional system that

Both are legitimate positions. I tend toward Senator Biden's, but to

call Judge Bork's beyond the bounds

of permissible discourse is sheer prej-

udice. Indeed, the judge's position must be called principled.

It takes a principled judge to de-

a Nazi nut's right to march. Both are

led to results they dislike but see no

own desires free play, that continuing

and self-conscious renunciation of power," Judge Bork once said, "that

s the morality of the jurist." And that

is the core of Judge Bork's judicial

philosophy. It is an attractive philos-

ophy, with very unattractive results.

allow the historical creation of new

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fensive, reactionary laws?

a judge may not do that.

principled way to avoid.

political power of the PLO in the occupied territories and to move militarily against the PLO in Lebanon. He and General Sharon managed to destroy the PLO's power in Lebanon, but at a high cost to Israel in terms of casualties, political unity at home and its image abroad. The Lebanon fiasco was Mr. Begin's undoing.

The war failed to achieve peace with another Arab state, and it failed to establish Israel's Christian allies in control. Above all it helped unleash the Shiite revolution in southern Lebanon and the Bekaz valley and made Israel in effect a neighbor of Iran's Revolutionary Guards.

The war also failed to crush Palestinian aspirations for nationhood on the West Bank. In fact, the number of anti-Israel incidents has grown in the occupied territories since 1982. And the PLO has survived as a political entity, uniting behind its more militant members. Thus, Mr. Begin left office politically and psy-

chologically unfulfilled, his dream of settling the West Bank and Gaza only partially met and his goal of annihilating the PLO as distant as ever. How did he leave his country, his people, his party? Leaderless, divided and wounded. The eader, in the end, could not withstand the pressures of political defeat in Lebanon and — after the Sabra-Chatila massacre and the devastating Kahan Commission report - he retired and disappeared almost without a trace. The leader of Fretz Israel remains a recluse within his residence on Ben Nun Street in West Jerusalem.

His nation and party were left in disarray. Stability has been restored to a degree by the unity government under Shimon Peres and Yitzhak Sha mir. The Israeli Army has left Lebanon, and the economy has recovered to a great degree, but the nation remains divided. Hopes for the restoration of national unity and consensus and the chances for peace with the Palestinians are as distant as they were in 1977, perhaps more so.

Mr. Begin's tenure raised the specter of radical

nationalism within Israel. It unleashed religious, nessianic and political forces that had never been present in force in Israel's political history. Verbal violence, political extremism, underground groups and a spirit of vigilantism began to find a permanent place in Israel's political scene after Mr. Begin's departure. The nation seems to be inevitably turning to the right and away from its Socialist-Zionist origins. Mr. Begin, for all his faults, was never a messi-

plante Zionist, he was a true 19th century liberal. Yet with his theatrics and his appeal to opulism, he unleashed those very forces.

Menachem Begin was a detached, anachronistic leader, a romantic who never understood the craft of statesmanship or the workings of military strategy, a man who worshiped power, without ever fully understanding its uses and limits in the way Ben Gurion did. Strangely, he never quite managed to know the essence of Israel. In 1987, he remains a stranger in his homeland, an isolated figure, much as he was when he arrived in Israel as a corporal in the Polish Army in 1942.

The writer is a professor at American University and author of a book on Menachem Begin. He contributed this comment to The Washington Post.

Make No Jure to rade-Off Trade-Offs On Rights

By Flora Lewis

PARIS — Secretary of State
George Shultz made a point of
taking up human rights in his talks this
week with the Soviet foreign minister,
Eduard Shevardnadze, although the
key issue now is arms control. That is as it should be. The Ameri-

can and Soviet people need both From a U.S. point of view, the issues are linked on a fundamental level because the way Moscow treats its own people has a lot to do with how seriously the United States can take its assurances that the Russians want to get on with Americans.

want to get on with Americans.
But this does not mean negotiating trade-offs. Reducing stocks of midear weapons should be a good agreement on its own terms, and the treaty nearly completed looks like a good start on a much broader effort to move the world back frum the danger of large scale war. Promoting human rights own terms of the start scale war. Promoting human rights on its own terms is also good and must be vigorously pursued. Worried that the West is suc-

opposition, Natan Sharansky reto keep asking him "hard questions" on "human rights, violations of the Helsinki accord Jewish and cently called on the Western mediathe Helsinki accord, Jewish emigration" (IHT, Sept. 15). Mr. Sharansky was finally allowed.

to join his wife in Israel last year after nine years in the gulag as a dissident and after a persistent, noisy Western campaign on his behalf. He knows he is a prime example of the effectiveness of Western public attention, and he begs those who helped him to keep on helping others. There are many more whose names are scarcely known. A letter from Leonid Fridman, at

the Harvard University mathematics department, puts forth the case of his grandparents: Natan Tkach. 75 years old, and Etya Podgorskaya, 71. Over 10 years they have asked to emigrate 18 times on the basis of invitations from Israel and twice on invitations from their daughter and son-in-law in the United States; all requests have been refused.

This ought to be a clear-cut case

of family reunion. But the security risk clause has been invoked, inexplicably. Natan Tkach, his grandson writes, "is a poorly educated, virtually deaf, very ill retired factory worker who has not worked for 15 years." His job for the last six years before retirement was to hand out overalls to other workers; he never had a position of importance. His standard Description wife, Etya, had been a bookkeeper. Similar bond Another.
Their spirits were buoyed by the

promise of glassost when they last making for which he has applied to leave, in March. But the mast occurred line illnew refusal sunk them into deep Tarking Middle to the same of the sam rights — abortion rights, minorities' rights to preferential treatment, the depression, and Mr. Fridman fears mannies, depression and they will not live much longer. What spices crapped around he hears from them, he says, is that assemanded as Palestin-"their only wish is to die in peace alla tousted from Beirut in the hands of their family." It is not surprising in these circumstances that Mr. Fridman wonders whether the release of a few

dissidents and some refuseniks "before the summit is not simply a game of political pinball to be stopped soon after the treaty is signed." Nobody can answer yet. Some op-ponents of arms control are cynically using the rights issue against any agreements with the Russians. This

obviously is not true of Mr. Fridman, whose concern is with his relatives. Let us lean over backward and assume that Mr. Gorbachev does want to enable his own people to live better and to deal humanely with those who want to join their families or, as Jews, to be citizens of the Jewish state. Let us assume that cases like the Tkachs are due to the powers of the multitude of burearcratic dodos who do not want things

to change in the Soviet Union.
It is all the more an anomaly then that these modest people's chances have to depend on Western pressure. As long as that is so, the pressure will continue - no matter what treaties are signed.

But if General Secretary Gorba-chev finds it distasteful to be addressed with list after list of violations, to find the Western press enlisted as loudspeaker for cas manding simple decency, he has another way of dealing with the problem. He could set up a system of honest domestic appeal. He could make it possible without a publicity campaign for Mr. and Mrs. Tkach and others like them to obtain the rights that Moscow promised in signing the accords at Helsinki.

For his own purposes of modernizing the Soviet Union and improving its prestige, regardless of diplo-matic deals, Mikhail Gorbachev needs to tackle this issue. It is not a condition for arms control, but it will not go away.

The New York Times.

The Stunning Turnabout on Verification By Enrico Jacchia

ROME — Verification. Fool-proof, indisputable, reliable verification: This is what is needed in all arms reduction treaties. Real veri-fication providing 100 percent confidence that obligations are respected and that bans are not circumvented. We have heard such requests time and again in recent months in many arms reduction forums. But not from the U.S. side, from the Soviets. This amounts to a Copernican revolution.

The absence of satisfactory verifi-

BORK

cation provisions has been cited as the main reason the U.S. Senate failed to ratify SALT-2. Indeed, the fear of Soviet cheating has strongly influenced the U.S. attitude in most arms control talks in recent years. to accept foreign inspectors on Soviet territory has appeared immutable until now. This conflicting Soviet posture has paralyzed many arms control negotiations, notably the 40- ed in Geneva to ban chemical weapnation conference in Geneva on ban- ons: For 15 years the stumbling

cation and on-site inspection. They of verification. Now the Soviets have go far beyond any previous Ameri- put the United States on the defen-

an accord on measures of verifica-

at the Geneva conference. He called the Soviet shift on verification an example of "new political thinking." What has prompted this change?

A younger generation of scientists, placed by Mikhail Gorbachev in key positions of the Soviet Academy of arms negotiations, clearly has been influential. Its members have displayed a much more independent attitude at international forums. The new policy of glasnost calls naturally for vertication that things

are not concealed. And, of course, the new approach has many political advantages for Moscow.

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block to the agreement has been the Now the Soviets want both verifi- Soviet refusal to accept the principle sive. The inspection principles they "We establish a strong link be- advocate are so intrusive that private tween nuclear arms reductions and chemical companies in the United States are beginning to worry about the protection of their sensitive research production data.

The Soviets want to allow inspec tion. Foreign Minister Eduard Shetions by one country of any facility at varnadze said last month in a speech any site in the other country. To make cover-ups more difficult, they propose that "the period between the time of the request and the arriving of the inspectors at the inspection site should not exceed 48 hours."

To prove their sincerity, they have invited two representatives from each delegation of the Geneva ad hoc committee on chemical weapons to visit the military chemical facility at Shikhany, on the Volga, on Oct. 6 and 7. Only a few months ago the Soviet government refused even to acknowledge that it possessed chemi-

cal weapons. Now Moscow wants to conclude the negotiations rapidly. The chief Soviet delegate to the Geneva conference, Yuri Nazarkin, has requested an extraordinary session of the conference to be held beginning mid-November "to complete most of the drafting of the convention." Interesting. The production of binary nerve gas artillery shells, authorized by the U.S. Congress, is set to begin Dec. 1.

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nority view. But can one really argue that it is beyond the pale? That, after all, is the issue. A rough consensus about the criteria for rejecting a Supreme Court nominee has developed around the Bork nomination. You need not accept the nominee's ideology, only be able to locate

it in the American mainstream. That should not mean that it must be middle of the road. It should mean that it not be eccentric or extreme. When Richard Nixon nominated G. Harrold Carswell to the Supreme Court in 1970, Senator Roman Hruska of Nebraska, responding to the charge that Judge Carswell was mediocre, opined that, "Even if he were mediocre, there are a lot of mediocre judges and people and law-yers, and they are entitled to a little

representation, aren't they?" To reject Judge Bork because his philosophy is not "moderate" enough is to apply a kind of political version of the Hruska criterion. fend a nutty law, just as it takes a principled civil libertarian to defend

Senator Biden and company are worried about the results that Justice Bork's decisions would yield. But dozens of conservatives, from Senator Orrin Hatch down to the lowliest young conservative with not a thought, and not a blot, on his record, could be guaranteed to produce results identical to Judge Bork's and could not be denied confirmation. So why the mobilization against Judge Bork? Because none of the others has his mind. That makes him

threatening. Opponents fear letting such an intellect loose on the court. If the Supreme Court consisted of a single judge, one could see how Senator Biden and his colleagues could legitimately reject Judge Bork. But to deny his constitutional view one seat out of nine is to claim that it has no place at the highest level of U.S. judicial discourse. And that is a confession of both judicial narrow-

mindedness and intellectual fear. Washington Post Writers Group.

IN OUR PAGES, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1912: AU.S. Warning

WASHINGTON - The policy of the United States toward the Central American and Caribbean Republics is clearly defined in an instruction sent by the State Department to the U.S. Minister in Nicaragua, for delivery to the Nicaraguan Government er true Constitutional Government and free elections. Strong moral support will be given to Governments against revolutionists, and force will communication and to protect the annals of Central America." While the Note is addressed to Nica-ragua, it is regarded as a general warning to the Southern Republics.

minded people who cried "unconsti-tutional" at every effort to better the condition of the people.

1937: FDR and the Court

WASHINGTON - Speaking on the the Constitution, President Franklin D. Roosevelt land D. Roosevelt last night [Sept. 17] cou-pled a defense of his plan to reform the Supreme Court with an attack on dictatorship. The President made it and revolutionists. It declares that clear that, despite the Senate's defeat the purpose of the United States is to of the court plan, he still intends to fight for changes. He said that for 150 years there had been a struggle between proponents of "the original broad concept of the Constitution be used if necessary to maintain free ... and those who would shrivel the communication and to protect the Constitution into a lawyer's con-Legations. The communication detract." Those who believed in "the clares Sena Mena's revolution in Nic- enduring wisdom of the Constituaragua to be "the most mexcusable in tion," he asserted, could not allow themselves to be worried by legal-

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On Riv Trap Suspect In Hijacking WASHINGTON - FBI agents used the promise of an illegal drug deal to lure an accused Shiite terrorist aboard a ship in the Mediterranean before his arrest and removal to the United States to stand tris for taking hostages, the Justice De-

partment said Friday, A Justice Department official commenting further on the unusual U.S. action announced Thursday said the FBI agents who made the arrest had tricked the suspect Fawaz Younis, on to a ship they had rented and were manning by promising a drug deal would ensue.

-Mr. Younis, a fervent Moslem and alleged mastermind of a 30-bour airliner hijacking two years ago, was interested in buying a large quantity of drugs for his fur-ther sale, the officials said. No drugs were actually on board the

Attorney General Edwin Meese 3d, announcing the arrest Thursday, called it "the first overseas arrest by U.S. law enforcement officials of a suspected terrorist being sought under U.S. laws. This unilateral action by the United States is an important step in our policy of inging terrorists to justice."

In Beirut, Nabih Berri, chief of the Shiite Amal militia, accused the United States of "piracy against international law" and "aggression on Lebanon's dignity."

Mr. Berni said, "There is no doubt that the American administration is attempting to create something out of nothing, as if it were a message directed to the American people to regain lost prestige even by an action smackng of piracy against international law and against every right."

Unaided by any other government, officials said Mr. Younis was arrested Sunday and held aboard the aircraft carrier Saratoga before being flows to Washington for a brief court appearance.

Charged in a five-count indictment under the 1984 Crime Control Act, Mr. Younis, 28, faces life in prison on charges of hostagetaking, conspiracy and destruction of an aircraft.

U.S. Magistrate Jean Dwyer first had asked Mr. Younis if he could afford an attorney, and he responded in Arabic through a State Department interpreter, "No, I cannot." Those were the only words no spoke before Judge Dwyer ordered him held without bond. Another

hearing was scheduled for Tuesday. The hijacking for which he has been charged occurred June 11, 1985. Five Shirte Moslems armed with hand grenades, dynamite and other explosives strapped around their waists demanded all Palestinian guerrillas be ousted from Beirut as they hijacked a Boeing 727 of the with 67 people aboard, including or five years ago." two American citizens and two American nationals.

After a 3,000-mile (4,800-kilometer) flight around the Mediterranean with stops in Cyprus and Sicily, the airliner returned to Beirut, where the hijackers released the passengers and crew unharmed, blew up the plane and escaped.

Mr. Younis was described by U.S. officials as a "full-time employee of the Amel militia," the Lebanese Shiite group headed by Mr. Berri, the Lebanese justice minister instrumental in obtaining of the House Armed Services Commissiles, with 1,500-mile range, derelease of Americans in a TWA bijacking three days after the Alia in a political agreement; its pomany and Belgium.

BIDEN: His Campaign Is Set Back

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gether after all the plagiarism sto-ries and reassured them, "You have nothing to fear but fear itself."

Said one Democratic consultant, "It's the ridicule that can kill you." For now, however, "I can't see it's much of a deal," said John Henry Anderson, the Georgia Democratic chairman and a county commissioner in Hawkinsville, Georgia. "The only comment I've heard is the fellow probably ought to change speechwriters."

Democratic chairman, and Larry Yatch, her counterpart in Pennsylvania, both said Democrats were kind of a moral beacon." asking whether Mr. Biden might be paign or by Republicans.

"Indianapolis News Thursday afternoon had a front-page headline, takes that away."

"Biden Admits Plagiarism." He a monologue Wednesday night on judged the consequences to be serious. "I think his campaign was in the television talk show joked that mouble anyhow, with too many Mr. Biden had called his staff to indeed the consequences to be seriscrewups," Mr. Livengood said, "and I think this could finish it

Senate may want to add some res-

Representative Les Aspin, Dem-

ocrat of Wisconsin, the chairman

litical implications are more

ervations and understandings."

Republican strategists, looking at the developments in the other party, saw Mr. Biden as badly dam-aged. "The individual actions may not be that important," said Linda Divall, a Republican polling consultant, "but they smack of a certain disregard for honesty at a time when everybody is talking about honesty and morality. He's going to. have to deal with a lingering credi-Bonnie Campbell, the Iowa bility problem, particularly among the baby-boomers, the people for whom he's tried to make himself

In Iowa, site of the first contest the victim of "dirty tricks," engi-next February, managers of several neered by a rival Democratic cam-paign or by Republicans. other Democratic campaigns spec-ulated that it could damage Mr. The Indiana Democratic chairman, John B. Livengood, said the liked him because of his speaking."

Dean Minimizes the Offense

New York Times Service

SYRACUSE. New York - The emeritus of the college who taught interim dean of the Syracuse Uni- Mr. Biden in his first year at Syraversity College of Law has mini- cuse, said "it is not an uncommon mized the plagiarism offense in- occurrence for a freshman to get volving Senator Joseph R. Biden screwed up on the acknowledg-Jr., and several professors who ments he should have used" in eartaught Mr. Biden have said they ly papers. were unaware of the plagiarism at

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Robert M. Anderson, a professor

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"You can't hold it against the



The U.S. arms negotiators, Paul H. Nitze, left, and Max M. Kampelman, right, flanked Jack F. Matlock, the ambassador to Moscow, as President Ronald Reagan announced 'agreement in principle" with the Kremlin on banning medium and shorter-range missiles.

U.S. General Proposes Modifying **B-52s to Take Conventional Arms**

New York Times Service

WASHINGTON - The commander of the United States' longrange bombers has said that he has proposed a \$3-billion plan to modify 150 B-52 bombers to carry conventional weapons to help defend Western Europe in the event nuclear missiles are banned.

The commander, General John T. Chain, said Thursday that the withdrawal of medium-range nuclear missiles from Europe would leave the conventional forces of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization inferior to those of the

General Chain, who heads the Strategic Air Command, said his seven-year plan had the support of military commanders in the field but needed the approval of Secre-tary of Defense Caspar W. Weinperger. Congressional approval is

Under General Chain's plan, all which are destined to be scrapped service. The planes, which were designed more than 25 years ago, and pilots. would be refurbished and a new stockpile of spare parts would be

continued to carry nuclear weap-

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On Capitol Hill, the Senate material ted in 1982. It is now usually resiles in flight. jority leader, Robert C. Byrd, welferred to as "double zero."

The Senate

ons, along with the 100 B-1s that are just becoming operational and the 132 advanced "Stealth" bombers designed to evade radar. These are scheduled to become operational in the early 1990s.

If the nuclear missiles are withdrawn from Europe, General Chain said, the conventional forces of U.S. and Western European nations would survive in before they would start to be over-

That would confront Western leaders with the choice of surrendering or escalating the conflict with long-range nuclear missiles and bombers, he said. He suggested that converting the B-52Gs would allow the West-

ern forces 10 hold out longer. If General Chain's plan is approved, the B-52Gs would not carry bombs as they did in the war in

Instead, they would be armed the remaining model G B-52s, with weapons that could be fired at targets from a distance of 25 to in the 1990s, would be kept in 200 miles (40 to 320 kilometers), thus reducing the risk to planes The U.S. Air Force has been

developing a guidance system for such missiles to make them able to add about 2,000 to its current All 90 model H B-52s would hit targets with pinpoint accuracy. strength of 606,800 men and wom-

ACCORD: U.S., Soviet Agree on Medium-Range Arms

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jority leader, Robert C. Byrd, wel-comed "the apparent progress that has been made" but cautioned that "the Senate will carefully scrutinize details of any treaty."

The Senate on Thursday ap-proved a proposal that would keep the Reagan administration from would scrap 270 SS-20s aimed at breaking the ABM treaty.

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The United States has 108 Per-

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He said that training for such missions had already begun.

"I've got guys out there flying at combat for only seven to 10 days 200 feet - at night," he said. In combat, the pilots would look for targets well behind enemy lines, like railheads, supply depots and

The B-52G, which can fly 7,300 miles without refueling at high altitudes, could fly 1,000 miles to a target and back again at low level, General Chain said.

Low-altitude bombing missions over Europe could thus be flown from bases in Britain or elsewhere in Europe or, with the help of aerial tankers, from the United States itself.

fired at attacking missiles, satellites

to watch for such missiles, and a

Moscow is strongly opposed to

Part of the \$3 billion required would be used to recruit, train and sustain additional people to maintain and fly the planes, the general said. Some of those to be assigned to a conventional bomber force would come from present ranks but the air force would need to

Iran's Terms For Truce, **UN Reports**

UNITED NATIONS, New York - Iran has declared its willinguess to accept a conditional, undeclared cease-fire in its war with Iraq but those terms are unacceptable to Baghdad under any circumstances, according to a United Na-

The nine-page document, unoffi-cially made available on Friday, was prepared for the Security Council by Secretary-General Javier Pérez de Cuéllar after his talks in Tehran and Baghdad. He re-

The report has not yet been released as a UN public document because the council told Mr. Perez de Cuellar that it must remain con-

In Washington on Friday, the State Department said Mr. Perez de Cuellar's attempt to persuade Iran to accept a cease-fire had In his report, the secretary-gen-

ral said Iran had insisted that a link be established between a cesse-fire and "the identification of responsibility for the conflict."

The Iranians allege that it was Iraq that started the war on Sept. 22, 1980, but Iraq charges that the Iranians fired the first shot 18 days

Reporting the Iranian position during what he said were "long hours of discussion," Mr. Perez de Cuellar said Iran had stated that a formal cease-fire must be preceded by the process of the identification of the party responsible for the initiation of the conflict."

In Baghdad, he said, the Iraqi authorities reiterated that they were ready to implement the Security Council's July 20 resolution that demanded an immediate cease-fire "as an integrated whole."

The Iraqis also said, he reported, that the Iranian insistence on a paragraph providing for an impartial inquiry into responsibility for the war preceding any cease-fire declaration "represented a clear rejection of the resolution."

One important point that Iraq particularly stressed was that under no circumstances would Iraq ac- main hospital. cept an undeclared cease-fire," Mr. rez de Cuéllar said. "They also underlined that the cease-fire than the military casualties," he should be followed without delay said, alluding to the nearby, unseen said here Friday at at the Marshall by the withdrawal of all forces."

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called Lassie, whom, he said with

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He had just returned to his home

in a shelled area, near the Shatt al

Arab, where only a handful of fam-

ilies are now. What he found de-pressing, he said, was that a lump

of shrapnel had lodged in one of his

palm trees, so there would proba-

bly be no dates from it this year.

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When the latest major bout of shelling started in early September, said Nahla Haloop Naamah, she and the others just sat and listened, trying to work out where the shells were landing. "We were talking about it," the

14-year-old said from a hospital bed, "when there was this huge explosion." Of the seven members of her family, she said, one was killed and all the others

Leila Abed Ali, in an adjacent bed, had a story, too. In the same attack, she said, she took her four children to safety and then came home to lock up the house. In that moment, shrapnel hit her in the lower abdomen.

officially arranged visit to Basra by reporters accompanied by guides from the Iraqi Ministry of Information and Culture. The journey emed designed to display some kind of normalcy in Basra and to substantiate assertions of Iranian belling, which Tehran has denied. The impressions, however, sug-

sested more a place so used to abformal conditions that it has defined its own customs accordingly. "Every time we attack the Iraniwe expect them to attack us," said Samir Hannah, an agricultural

expert who lectures at Basra University, "We adapt to these things." Thus, he said, he and his wife and two children usually live in a modest villa in the district of El Toweisa, one that has borne the brunt of shelling. But when the shelling starts, they choose their

he said, they move back. The children, he said, have nightmares about it, even when there is

moment and move to a relative's

home across town. When it is quiet,

"Many people have gone," he to indicate there was no glass in any said, gesturing to streets that the cipality is busily resurfacing, albeit around the hulks of broker cars. They started to come back broken by the shelling," he said. before the last shelling, but when When the war ends, we will put the shelling started, they went away the glass in again."

The newest hole in his garden Shuttle Test Called Success wall, about the size of a football, was two days old, he said.

"About half the population of HUNTSVILLE, Alabama — Besra has left," said Dr. Adel el- The first full-scale test-firing on Mansouri, the director of the city's Aug. 30 of the space shuttle's rede-"This year, there have been

about 1,000 civilian dead, far less

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Focus on Contras

(Continued from Page 1) his own separate views at the end of

Another Republican, Represen-tative Henry J. Hyde of Illinois, said he expected the final report to be "so polemical and political" that House Republicans would ban together to file a minority view. But a Republican senator said he expected most, if not all, of the Republican senators on the committee to sign the final report.

Several legislators said an impor tant section of the draft addressed the contrast between Mr. Reagan's knowledge and his responsibility.

The committees found no evi-dence that the president knew pro-In the parts of town that bustle a little, away from El Toweisa, there ceeds from the arms sales were us is a modest trade in small things to support the contras, and the testimony suggested that the president that seems to reflect an effort to survive. Near the Sindbad nightwas ignorant of many other aspects of the affair. club, in an area like others draped

The legislators said the repor would be sharply critical of the president for not keeping closer tabs on his National Security Council staff and for not relying more heavily on the advice of Mr.

In some instances, the legislators "Most of the casualties," he said, "are women and children, because said, conflicts in testimony are not resolved in the draft report. "We'll the men are either working or (ightleave a lot of questions unanswered," said Warren B. Rudman, Rashid al-Derzi, a retired electri-Republican of New Hampshire, cal engineer, said he was too old for vice chairman of the Senate panel. either and wanted only to tend his Mr. Rudman would not elabogarden. He had a story about his

rate on the unanswered questions but another legislator active in the investigation suggested that one of those questions involved the key issue of whether Mr. Reagan knew profits from the arms sales were being diverted to the contras. This legislator said the final re-

port would emphasize that no concrete evidence was developed to contradict Admiral Poindexter's assertion that he personally authorized the diversion and withheld the information from the president. But the legislator said the report

would also note that Mr. Reagan and his chief advisers failed to question Admiral Poindexter on the matter before the admiral was allowed to resign as national security adviser. That failure, according to the legislator, is circumstantial evidence that the president and his top aides may have known about the matter.

Soviet Conducts Nuclear Test The Associated Press

MOSCOW - The Soviet Union conducted an underground nuclear test Friday at the Semipalatinsk test site in Soviet central Asia, Tass

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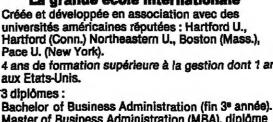
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NEW YORK — The handful of film and television stars who still need the experience of performing live theater are staying on Broadway for shorter periods than ever before, a factor that producers and industry observers agree is having a negative effect on a business that desperately needs newer, younger audiences.

Fewer and fewer stars are willing to forgo the rewards of television and film roles in exchange for a lengthy run on Broadway. The names, for example, of five actors appear over the title of "Into the Woods," the Stephen Sondheim-James Lapine musical that opens next month at the Martin Beck Theater. Each of those names is well-known to regular New York theatergoers, but only one - Bernadette Peters - is nearly as wellknown beyond Broadway, something that can be crucial to a show's

Peters, who has worked extensively on Broadway, has also made several movies, starred in a television series and given concerts regularly throughout the United States since beginning her career in the New York theater. But while she stayed on Broadway in "Song and Dance" for more than a year, and in "Sunday in the Park With George" for nine months, she is under contract to "Into the Woods" for just 16 weeks.

Peters's is not an unusual situation. Very few actors who work on both coasts are willing to commit to Broadway for more than a few

"I could stay as long as I want in

her obligation to "Sunday in the Park" had been five months both she and her co-star. Mandy Patinkin, stayed longer. "Of course, you don't earn as much on Broadway as you do making a film or doing concerts," she conceded. "But the most important thing to me is doing projects that are the most inter-

esting."

John Malkovich, who appeared

Hoffman in a 1984 opposite Dustin Hoffman in a 1984 Broadway revival of "Death of a Salesman" before winning major roles in films such as "Places in the Heart" and "The Killing Fields," also returns to Broadway next month, in Lanford Wilson's "Burn This." He is under contract for six months, said James Freydberg, one of the play's producers. Like Peters, Malkovich regularly does stage work in New York and Chicago, and could stay with "Burn This" longer.

The most dramatic example of how the lure of film and television adversely affects Broadway came ast month, when the American producers of "Les Liaisons Danreuses" closed the Royal Shakepeare Company production rather than recast it with American actors. even though the play was doing extremely well at the box office and might, given a lengthier run, have recouped its investment. According to one person close to the production who requested anonymity, several major American actors were cast in the play, including Glenn Close, who appeared in "The Real Thing" on Broadway for six months in 1984. But when Close would commit to no more than four months in "Liaisons," the pro-



Bernadette Peters backstage at "Into the Woods."

"It would have been nonsensical to so with a short booking here," said James Nederlander, one of the producers of "Liaisons." Nederlander said that he was trying to put together another company of the show for his theaters on the West Coast.

Not everyone agrees that three or four months is too short a time for a film star to spend on Broadway. "It might very well have been worth it to have Glenn Close in 'Liaisons' for three months," Freydberg said. Regarding Malkovich, the producer added, "He's signed for six months from opening night. But he said if the audiences were there and he still loved doing it, he'd stay. If he doesn't still love doing it, he'll leave. And why not?"

One producer argued that Broadway, not Hollywood or Burbank, is at fault. "Of course, it's understandable that the stars won't ducers decided it would be too stay long," said Emanuel Azenthe show," Peters said of "Into the costly to recast and recostume the berg, who produced "Broadway

show twice in so short a period of Bound." "The truth is, we are dealing on Broadway in ways from the 1930s and '40s, except now we do it with computers. So we sell rickets better. We've lost the directors and the authors, and now we're losing the actors."

"Maybe we should have an institutional theater with a sense of conainment, with a different structure, a subscription of plays with limited runs, Azenberg said. Then you could lower prices, the stars would only have to be there three or four months."

Azenberg acknowledged that his show might have been helped if Linda Lavin, an actor with a strong television following, had stayed longer than nine months. Lavin. who won a Tony award for her role in "Broadway Bound," left the show at the end of August. "Of course, it would have helped if Linda had stayed longer, in that sense," he said. "But what are we talking about - making \$5 instead

The Secrets of Turin Museums

knows from personal experience how easy it is to miss an important objet d'art lost in a sea of pass a work of the utmost impor-

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played it where hardly anyone will

think of looking.

Turin as a whole is a laboratory d'Arte Antica. Some might be aware of its architectural aspects. The Palazzo Madama is a quaint combination of medieval-looking structure, brick castello of the House of Savoy with round 15thcentury towers and narrow windows, and Baroque palace slapped on as an incongruous mar-ble facade completed in the 17th

Inside, the Sala della Primavera, the Spring Room, has one of the prettiest trompe l'oeil ceiling decorations in Europe. Painted in 1714 by Domenico Guidobono, it is more French than Italian in taste. Birds flapping their wings or strutinine figure looking up is wafted by clouds. With its pale dainty hues, it exudes an alacrity combined with a peaceful sense of balance that is

By far the most remarkable works of art, however, are among the museum exhibits and each is a one-off. That, alas, is the best way for art to be kept off the beaten track. Tourists panting for culture like to "do" entire collections.

The "Portrait of a Man," done in 1476 by Antonello da Messina in Venice, is the kind of painting that would get a whole panel to itself in the Metropolitan Museum. The unknown sitter seen head and shoulders turned three-quarters throws his head back, eyebrows raised slightly, lips firmly pressed. His high cheekbones are chiseled in sculptural fashion by the light that seems to be coming down from the top left corner. The shading on the pleated red tunic is done with a miniature painter's care. The crispness of the painting is more northern European than Italian, Lucio Cabutti notes in the guidebook that it betrays the impact of Jan van Eyek, whose work Antonello saw in Naples. In short, this is one of the great portraits of the quattrocento,

The same plight affects a Virgin and Child by the Flemish artist Ambrosius Benson. The master, born in Lombardy around 1495, spent his life in Bruges and died there in 1550. He tends to be disregarded - the influence of others can be detected in his work - yet his achievements were astonishing. from the stylized perception of the der the Normans. Flemish Primitives to the mundane vision of the late 16th century, he er of its wonderful pieces, an ivory does. His seated Virgin comes crozier of the early 13th century

drowned in a host of second-rank

URIN — Every collector despite its idealized softness.

knows from personal experiThe landscape in the back-

ground, however improbable as a backdrop, is a landscape in its own mediocrity. It is easier still to by- right. But one has to look hard to find any mention of the Benson in ance because a museum has dis- general books on Flemish painting - or in the museum's guidebook.

When it comes to sculpture in a small format and other objets d'art the situation gets a shade worse. It is easy not to see the rare and Turin as a whole is a laboratory beautiful Romanesque capital of case. Not many have heard of its city art museum, the Museo Civico jousting, in the tiny cluttered anteroom that leads from the ticket counter into another not quite so small but equally cluttered medieval room with a remarkable 14thcentury credenza.

It is easier still to blindly walk past some of the most beautiful carved wood panels from early-16th-century Italy to be seen in any museum. These are shutters with medallion portraits in low selief in the midst of formal ornament. The sharpness of the chiseling has a metallic feel that reminds one of the finest medals cast by Renaissance bronze makers. But the shutters have been remounted to fit a window on a minuscule landing, at ting appear between improbable the bottom of a spiral staircase that pillars. At the center, a draped femleads to the primo piano. In the dim light filtered by translucent glass - perfectly suited to the subtle low relief carving - they hardly thrust themselves on the visitor's consciousness. They are conspicuously missing in the museum guide-

> GREATER surprises greet art lovers on the third floor where a small but remarkable group of champleve enamels and ivories is on view. A style that has no precise equivalent elsewhere is revealed by a set of 14 circular plaques of the early 13th century. The flat enameled rim of each frames openwork low relief carv-ings in gilded copper. These differ somewhat from related fittings as sociated with Limoges enamel

In one, a man in a tunic stands on the back of a dragon holding a curving sword in his right hand and a rondache, or circular shield, in the other. The curving sword and the rondache are of Middle Eastern inspiration. The standing figure, on the other hand, calls to mind the sculpture of Antelami, active in Parma around the time these plaques would have been made, i.e. the first quarter of the 13th century. Together, these features support the Italian provenance tentatively put forward in the catalogue as a possible alternative to Limoges.

The Italian connection with the Islamic East through commerce continued from the early Middle Ages through Rengissance times. Another factor spreading Middle Eastern influence was the prolonged presence of Islam in Sicily. arly circles for its considerable doc-

To this the museum owes anothfew and far between - the 15thcentury B.C. statue of King Thut-mose III, an admirable statue of



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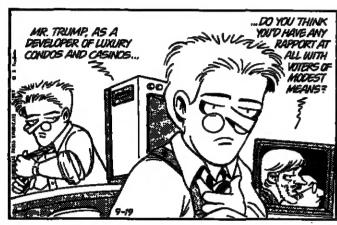
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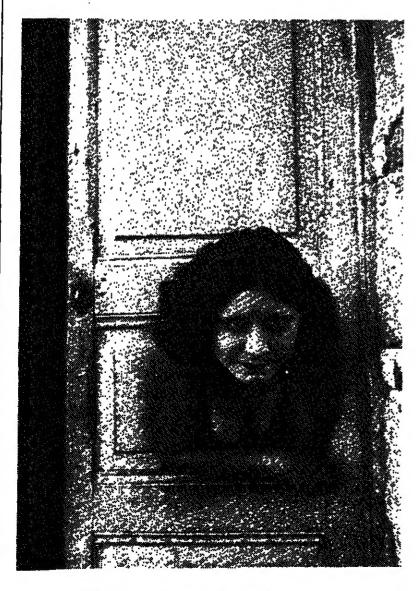
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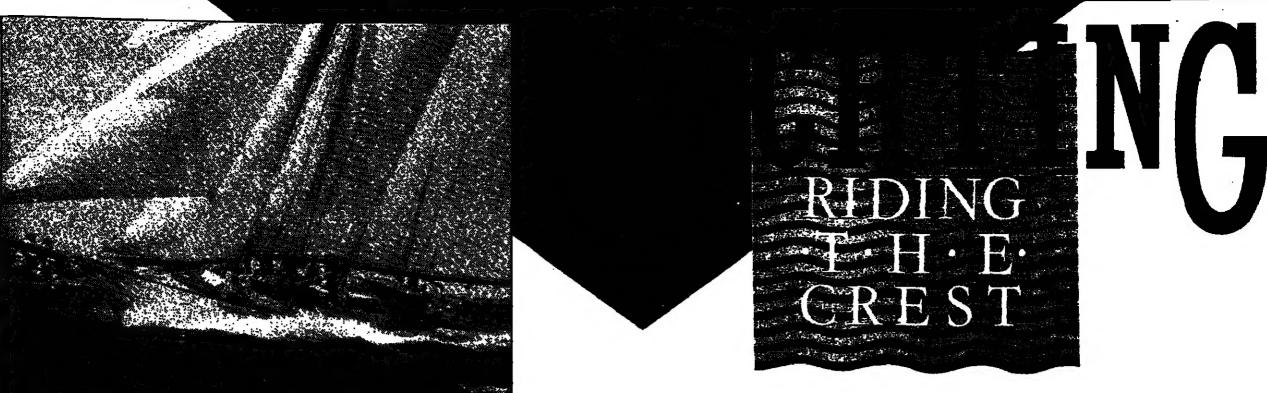
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HE popularity of sailing as a sport has exploded, arracting large sums of sponsorship money and establishing a new breed of professional racing sailor. The same phenomenon is occurring in the burgeoning sport of offshore powerboar racing. Parallel to the growth of these sports is a new interest in recreational boating.

The fundamental reason for this extraordinary growth is that "a lot more people are a lot richer than ever before," in the words of one broker. People are more widely traveled than ever today, so yachting offers a different experience. And it follows the trend of spending holidays and leisure time in sports and activities rather than just lying in the

Charter brokers report unprecedented demand, with around 40 percent of inquiries for Mediterranean-based charters coming from first-time clients. The top end of the charter market offers yachts like the 140-foot Kalizma, formerly owned by Elizabeth Taylor and Richard Burton, for \$28,000 per week, and Baron Heini von Thyssen's 164foot Hanse at \$84,000. The range of good sailboats extends from a Swan 65 for \$7,000 per week to the 145schooner Shenandoab at \$38,000. In all cases, this excludes fuel, food and other expenses. Yet the demand for the best yachts exceed their availability.

Another remarkable change is the unmistakable preference for large yachts. Even sport boats have been scaled up; an 18-to-20-meter sport boat, which was almost unthinkable three years ago, is now becoming commonplace. Italy'is leading the way in this genre, with bosts like Tecnomarine's Coons 62 and Amo's Leopard Sport — high-performance toys packed with luxu-

Further up the scale it is the same. "Three or four years ago there were few yachts over 120 feet, and hardly any over 150 feet. Today 150 is the norm and there are quite a few

foreraste of what is happening now: this is the platinum age. Ron Holland agrees: "We have 10 boats of over 90 feet on our books at present and inquiries are coming in faster than finished boars can come



The port in Monaco boasts many impressive superyachts.

in progress over 200 feet," says designer Jon Bannenberg. The cost of these big boats is revealing. According to designer Terence Disdale, a 40-meter yacht "costs \$7 million or any amount over that, depending on what goes onto it." Unlike some products, whose price increases in inverse proportion to size, the cost of a superyacht doubles from 30 meters to 45 metes, and doubles again

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A recent editorial in The Yachs magazine in the United States suggested that the socalled golden age of sailing out the other end. It is a sign of the times that we regard a

70-foot boat as smallish."

So strongly do Holland and others believe in the strength of this market that they are having yachts built on speculation and ready for immediate sale. One example is the New Zealand-built Southern Pacific 102-foot ketch, which was funded by a fully subscribed public stock offering.

Confidence in the n being demonstrated by the number of people investing in yacht building and development. German entrepreneur Herbert Dahm led the way with the Dutch yard Jongert. The firm ran into financial difficulties while building a yacht for Dahm; his response was to invest in the yard and take over all of its marketing activities. Today Jongert is enjoying great success. Floridabased Blas Casares, who made his fortune in the grain busi-

between the wars was just a ness, could not find a yard to build quite the yacht he wanted, so he established Diaship in the Netherlands. That yard is currently building its fourth yachr of over 50 meters. After a similar experience, George Levin of Fort Lauderdale founded Seerling Yacht in Japan, while New England carparts magnate Gary Blonder parlayed his love of large yaches into a small but soughtafter charter fleet.

> There has been a proliferation of shippards in new areas of the world. The new demand for yaches has given them a way out of the shipbuilding crisis by diversifying while still taking advantage of the residue of manpower and talent. As the value of the dollar recently has made yaches built in the Netherlands, Germany and Japan relatively expensive, other counmies such as Australia and even the United States have benefited: Broward, Burger, Palmer Johnson and Christensen are all enjoying a major upoum in business.

"American owners of large yachts have always been the underprivileged class, condemned to wandering the oceans of the world - or at least staying in the Med," says George Nicholson, the doven of yacht brokers. Nicholson start work on a marina at New York City's Battery Park to accommodate 25 yachts between 100 and 150 feet in

In Italy, the great traditional yacht builders, like Picchiotti, Benetti and Baglietto are being saved from the consequences of poor financial management by new investors, either from the shipbuilding sector or from outside the marine business entirely. These new owners are imposing the discipline of industrial attitudes, standards and management on what had

New Breed of Yacht Designer

TUST as the new breed of yacht owner has brought different tastes into the market, so the change in the way yachts are used has brought about new approaches in design. Today's generally younger, richer owners want higher speeds - over 25 knots, even for larger boats - and shallow drafts, so they can explore the new cruising grounds open to a faster boar. Swimming platforms have become an integral part of the design and, even on the larger yachts, there is no such thing as a boat without a flybridge. Interiors are more opulent and apartment-like; the number and type of public rooms have changed. Even exterior styling shows a definite tendency toward clean, uncluttered lines with strong horizontal planes, giving the illusion of speed. The net result is a strikingly fresh vision of what can be

done with a yacht's design. Although on a 40-meter-

no longer especially restrictive, logistics are far more complex than within the equivalent space on land. Terence Disdale compares planning a yache's layout with packing a suitcase: "You can jam everything in and sit on the lid, which results in squashed, unusable contents, or you can think carefully before placing items inside and find that everything goes in

neatly and fits well." According to this philosophy, the look of the interior its decoration - comes last; if the space is wrong, cosmetics can do nothing to help. There are as many styles in yacht interiors today as there are owners. Although the wilder extremes of fashion have resulted in yachts that look like nightclubs of swanky penthouse apartments, the general trend is toward a normal "domestic" environment, a "modem classic" idiom.

Far from being just a stylplus yacht, the dimensions are ist, the designer has become a

consultant, advising the client from the moment the project is first mooted to the day the yacht is delivered. This is especially valuable for the new, less experienced owners.

Previously, having a yacht built was a two-year ritual in which the owner participated fully. Today, owners like Prince Rainier of Monaco, who involved himself intimately with every stage of construction of his 83-foot ketch Stales II, are the exception; most owners lack either the knowledge, the interest or the time to follow the building process.

The increasing complexity of yacht design and construction has placed still further responsibility in the designer's hands. He becomes the dient's liaison with and representative at the yard — a yard the designer will most likely have chosen himself, balancing the client's needs with his own experience.

The Big Business of Brokerage

HINGS are changing at the heart of the vacht brokerage business all along the Côte d'Azur, a business which has always been led by the British. The broker's basic task - to act for vendors by selling their yachts and for buyers by assessing their wants and needs and then finding a yacht to fulfill them - has not changed and absolute confidentiality is still his stock-intrade. However, the scale of operations has. There has been a significant jump not only in the number of buyers, but in the value of the yachts changing hands. Both buying and selling have become more complex as the nature of the market has changed.

"In addition, the influx of a completely new breed of buyer from outside the yachting fraternity has brought into the market a different set of requirements, tastes and reasons for wanting to buy a yacht," says Jonathan Beckett of Monaco-based brokers Nigel Burgess. "At the same time there is a much broader choice in the kind of yacht being offered for sale. The task of marching buyer to boat is thus more difficult than ever at a time when it is more important than ever to get it right."

Antibes-based broker Peter Insuli reckons that to keep a 50-meter yacht in full commission, cruising the Mediterranean in summer and the Caribbean in winter, the owner will receive little change from a million dollars. The problem of matching

buyer to boat is exacerbated with first-time buyers, who comprise the fastest-growing sector of the market. Not only are they entering the market higher up the size and price scale, but, due to inexperience, they may be generally less well-informed about what they want or need, beyond perhaps a certain speed or size. This has created a problem that yacht brokerage shares with any other boom market where the numbers are high: the proliferation of "commission boys" who take advanrage of the clients' inexperi-

More than anything, the broker's responsibility as an adviser has grown, whether in a "hand-holding" capacity -

eriquette and social attitudes of yacht ownership — or as a rechnical adviser. As one broker put it: "The new breed of buyer will choose a yacht because he likes the interior, he doesn't know about yachts and the sea at all." The broker is therefore required to give proper and, if possible, unbiased advice about every technical and practical consideration that might affect the yacht's performance or be relevant to its intended use.

Depth of experience is indis-

guiding new owners in the

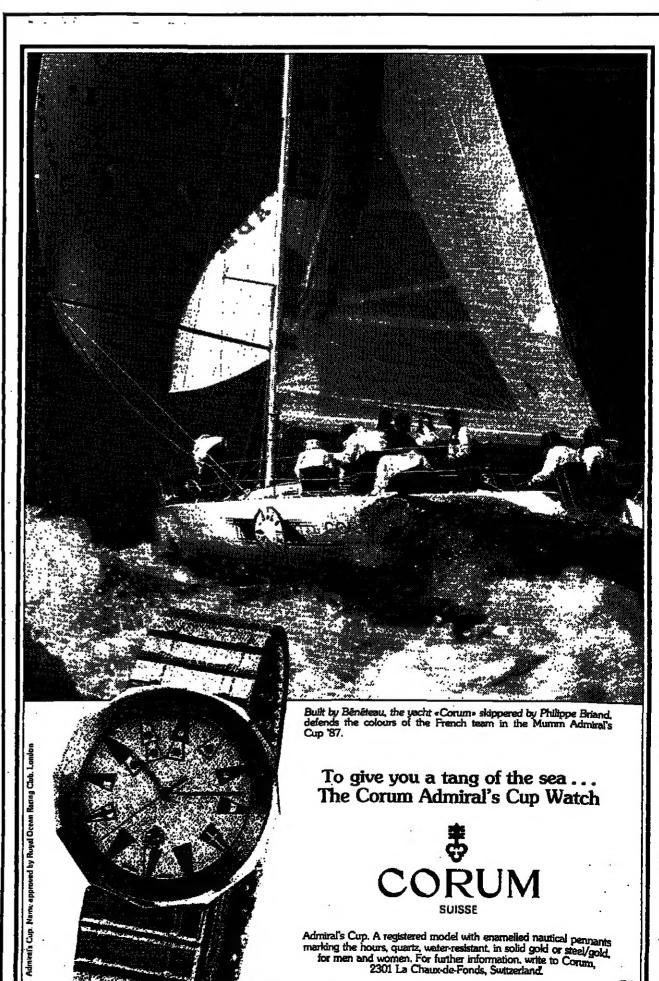
pensible in this role. Peter Insull says that he occasionally does get first-time buyers who want to build a new yacht, but "I almost always advise them against it. By buying an existing yacht which fits their needs as closely as possible, they will be able to assess what they really want. "The one unchanging rule is that the broker must find a yacht to fit the buyer, rather than trying to make the buyer fit the yacht."

The other side of the brokerage business — selling the yachts — has also changed; a more complex market requires

a more sophisticated marketing philosophy. The one muism is that the best yachts always sell but, says Insull, there is a move toward greater specialization at the top end. With the cost of boats going up all the time, the old 'supermarker' style of brokerage is no longer appropriate." Some brokers also report a

split in the market. While the modern design philosophy is bringing more and more buyers into the market, there seems to be a reaction, reflected in a healthy demand for classic yachts, to buy and restore. Insull considers that the greatest change among his clients is that they have become much more demanding. "They will not tolerate any form of inefficiency at any stage of the relationship," he says. George Nicholson echoes that sentiment, adding: "Thirty years ago it was all rather fun. Now, from a business point of view, it is very serious indeed."

This advertising section was written by Sandra Lane, Senior Editor (Europe), of The Yacht magazine





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all his. In 1969 he built his

first breakthrough Cigarette;

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All of these muscle boats

are much closer to their race-

boar origins than production

term for a go-fast boat.

S long as men have been going down to the sea, those same men have wanted to go fast in boats. Remember those beautiful, classic "speedboats" the polished wood Rivas and Chris Craft. In the last decade, sport boats have become bigger and faster, the very basis of their design has changed. and then it's 90 plus. Where once classic speedboats were adapted for racing, fast boating and the booming stripped down and tuned up, sport of offshore racing has

now purebred racing boats are being adapted and developed into recreational boats. but a true muscle boat is a In the early 1970s these socalled "muscle boats" were ing stables of champions like still fairly rudimentary in Don Aronow, James Beard, terms of comfort, but in the Ben Kramer and Fabio Buzzi. last five years they have come Success on the racing circuit into their own. More than just does sell boars. Bruno Abbate tarted-up racing boats, they is something of a hero in Italy, have all the comforts and amea country that loves heros; he nities of a cruising boat. has cranslated a highly successful racing career into a 15 The imperus for muscle boats' development has come

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end of the boat market have increased. Just a few years ago 25 knots was considered very fast; today 40 knots is normal for an off-the-shelf sport boat. But muscle boats are on a whole new level, one in which speed is no longer measured in knors, but in miles per hour -

sports cars are to Formula One, but few are as purebred The general popularity of as Cougar Marine's US-1 46. This is the same boar as Maggie's Mercruiser Special, in prompted a host of builders to which George Morales won produce boars "in the style." the Superboat World Championship. The only differences thoroughbred, born in the racare that the production hull is GRP while the original was aluminum and that the production model is crammed with comforts. The "muscles" are exactly the same - three 575-horsepower Mercruisers - and so are the speeds: over 90 miles per hour. Last year one Dr. Stros, an million lire per year business

Austrian, decided that he wanted "a boat like no other" and married the talents of Fabio Buzzi with those of Ferdi-

nand Porsche. The result shown in prototype at the Genoa Boat Show last October is a vision in high-gloss gunmeral gray Kevlar, its lines clearly showing its 911 pedigree. The first 12 models of a very limited production will be offered to a handpicked group of buyers.

Without a doubt, owning a muscle boat is a status symbol, and the people who do so are usually not of the traditional yachting crowd. Walker describes them as "not at all afraid of being seen. In fact, they want a boat like this in order to make a strong statement about themselves." He finds that Cougar buyers are very technology-conscious. "Our boats are high-priced, high-speed toys, but they sell on technology," he says. "For the owner, this implies something else very positive about himself; he doesn't just want to go fast, he knows something special."

Mere display is not the only appeal of muscle boats; they have an aesthetic all their own. Certainly the most compelling reason of all to have such a boat is the pure adrenalin-pumping theill of screaming across the water at 90

One anomaly in the quest for speed is that although caramarans are faster than mono-

hulls, they do not seem to have as much appeal as pleasure boats.

South Florida and St. Tropez have always been the muscle boar meccas, and they are the areas of the most spectacular growth in the market. But demand is up all over the United States as well as in the Middle East and, increasingly,

As boat speeds accelerate and the number of owners grows, the question of safety must be raised. Gowens strongly believes that "the manufacturers must be seen to be leading the way in the promotion of safety. If we don't police ourselves, we will find that laws are imposed upon us from the outside which may damage all that fast boating stands for." The only thing impossible to control is the behavior of the people who drive the boats. Safety is built in; these boats are properly designed for going fast.

It is only recently that proper muscle bosts could enter the market as a commercial entity. "The muscle boat market is the single most exciting facet of the marine industry because of the technological advances," asserts John Walker. "People now have access to production boats that they could only have dreamed of five years ago."



Sponsorship Comes of Age

sponsorship has long been established as a marketing tool, yachting has been slow to attract the big-budget support enjoyed by such sports as tennis, golf and Formula One racing.

But when the New York Yacht Club lost the America's Cup to Alan Bond in 1983, yacht racing was catapulted into the media age. By the time the defense began in Perth the sport had attained a level of visibility that would have been inconceivable three years earlier. The development of the on-board yacht-cam belped turn sailing into a riveting spectator sport. And in 1985, the International Yacht Racing Union decided to relax its famous Rule 26, which had prohibited advertising or the use of sponsors' names on the

Dutch electronics giant Philips sponsors various sports, including World Cup Soccer. In 1985 it staked its own entry in the Whitbread Round The World Race: Philips Innovator, a state-of-the-art racing yacht. Crammed with electronics, it not only gave the company a world-traveling billboard but provided a tough testing ground for their prod-

Yachting's image makes it a natural for association with upscale products and services. Still, according to Jean-René Bannwart, president of Swiss watchmakers Corum, it makes no sense — regardless of the suitability of its image — to sponsor something you don't enjoy. Although Bannwart has a strong personal interest in sailing, Corum's involvement in the sport came about indirectly when the company

designed a new watch and, seeking a suitable name for it. approached the Royal Ocean Racing Club for the rights to use "Admiral's Cup." Sponsorship of the event was a logical corollary.

Bennwart says it is impossible to quantify the return, and especially to measure the rerum from sponsorship as distinct from advertising and other forms of promotion.

Louis Vuitton, whose support of the America's Cup Challenger Series set the benchmark for sailing sponsorship, did monitor the results of their \$3 million investment in terms of press coverage. They counted 15,000 mentions in all media. The crucial thing, says Bruno Troublé, who organized the Vuitton campaign, is to increase public awareness of the name and to associate the product's image with an appropriately prestigious event.

The days when a sponsor simply signed a check are over. Bannwart states that "without doing supplemencary promotion and having a strong presence at the event itself, we would have a real problem getting a return from the organizing club or the

Troublé agrees. Perth was a huge success for Vuitton, he adds, "but it took three years of using every tool at our disposal - advertising and PR backup, organizing a results service, the media center, press trips, helping the organizing club. Only one-third of our total spent went towards running the races; the rest was used to promote the fact of our sponsorship." Vuicton will be repeating the exercise for the next America's Cup, preparing to double the bud-

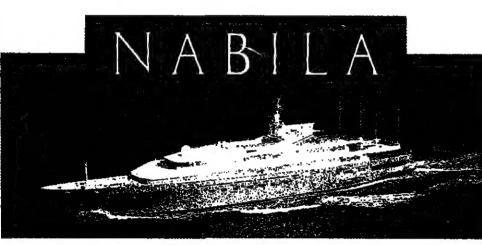
get. Meanwhile, Troublé is guiding other companies of the recently merged LV.M.H. Group in the same direction; Moët et Chandon are sponsoring La Nioulargue while Parfurns Givenchy began funding Trouble's racing yacht Xeryus in the Admiral's Cup.

Corum is committed to the Admiral's Cup until 1993. Even though Bannwart admits that at present he questions whether the return justifies the cost, he accepts that it is too soon to pass judgment.

Philips, on the other hand, claims to be satisfied with the results of the Whitbread campaign. "By sponsoring a race which represents one of the world's last great adventures. we attracted the attention of the world's non-neutical media," says a spokesman. Philips Innovator, placed second overall in the race, is now for sale.

Media coverage, and above all television, is what brings the money in. Boar-crazy New Zealand is an exceptional case but it does show what can bination of commercial sponsorship and public appeal raised NZ\$3.2 million to send Peter Blake around the world in the Whitbread Race, Within a year, this country of just 3 million people had not only sent a team to the Admiral's Cup, it had put NZ\$9 million into a campaign orchestrated by merchant bankers Fay, Richwhite to challenge for the America's Cup in Perth.

Yacht racing is at a turning point right now. Large amounts are already involved. but the media response is lagging. If this changes, the commercialization of the sport will surge ahead. But, everyone agrees, sailing should never be smothered in logos.



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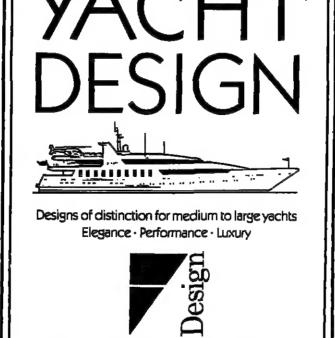
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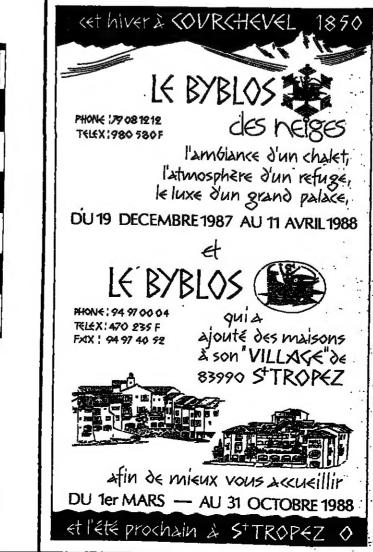
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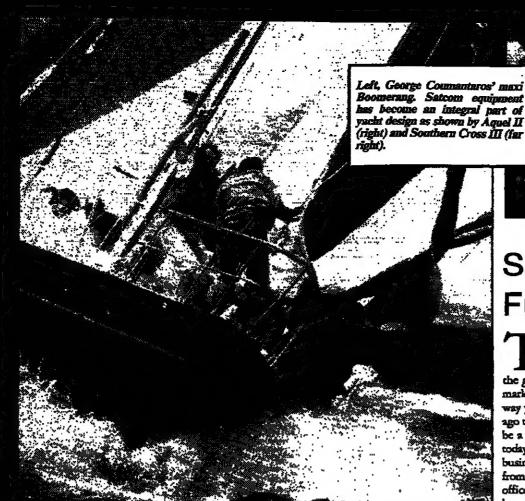
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Conner, meanwhile, will lesp abound the mini-maxi Emerande, a 70-footer owned by Jacques Dewailly. Minimaxis were intended to be the largest size allowable. Now they form a subgroup at each of the regards often beating the true maxis on handicap.

Shipping magnate George Commentaros has claimed the services of Olympic gold medalist Robbie Haines for Boomerang, launched in 1984 and the top maxi until this year. Kilroy built Kialea V because he "got bored with being beaten by Boomerang," and others, like Huey Long, shared the same sentiments. Their old boats were also nearing the end of the modifications that are so much a part of the maxi scene. As designer Ron Holland remarks: "Some maxis have more face-lifts than an aging Hollywood star."

Now all the existing fleet may be obsolete and no amount of alteration adequate. Just as the Holland-designed Kialog IV was a breakthrough boat five years ago, so is Il Moro di Venezia III today. At a recent maxi regatta in Palma, Majorca, Raoul Gardini scored three first and two second places in five races with the brand-new and basically untuned Il Mera Those who were aboard predict it will annihilate the opposition in the second half of the Rolex World Championship.

Porto Cervo is the perfect venue for maxi sailors. The pink-and-other washed resort created by the Aga Khan is a fitting setting for these thoroughbreds of yacht racing. The Rolex Cup, the culminstion of the class's world championship, will provide yet another opportunity to prove

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THE advent of satellite communications has been a key factor in the growth of the large yacht market, radically changing the way yachts are used. Ten years ago there was no choice but to be a complete escapist at sea; today it is possible to conduct business just as effectively from a yacht as from a city office. As one U.S. owner based in the Mediterranean said: "With a sattom on board, this boar is no longer just a toy, just a place for a vacation. It has become a place to live, simply by being able to carry on business."

The proliferation of the characteristic dome-shaped acrial units on larger yachts is eloquent restimony to the number of owners who welcome this facility. Most people who have the kind of money required to be on this kind of yachr cannot afford to lose touch with business, so the

two were mutually exclusive. The development of maririme satellite communications was motivated by commercial and military considerations, yet only in 1976 did it become available to ships at sea when Comest launched the first Marisat satellites. In 1982 the service became global with the establishment of INMAR-SAT, an international cooperarive body charged with the management and operation of the satellites. Membership has grown from 22 countries in 1982 to 48 today.

Initially the cost and size of the sarcom terminals (or, to use their technical name, ship earth stations) restricted their use ourside the military to large commercial operators. However, as competition increased, the size of the units diminished and costs fell to a more affordable level. Once the cost of fitting a terminal had dropped below \$40,000 it became a reasonable proposirion for a \$400,000-plus yacht. Today the cost is around \$30,000 and still dropping.

Along with the decresse in size came an increase in facilities. Once the basic utility had been established, it was logical to exploit its potential for more sophisticated forms of communication. The growing range of peripheral equipment means that owners of the topcapacity Standard A system

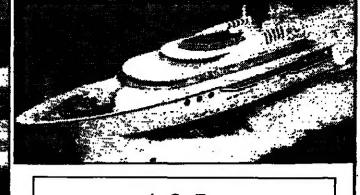
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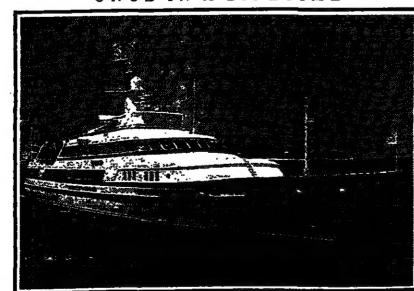
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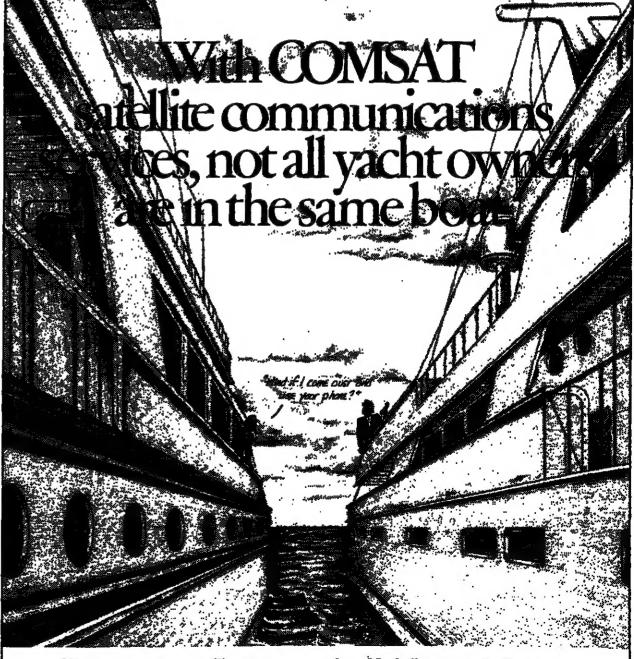


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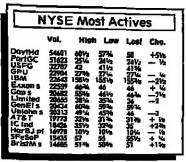
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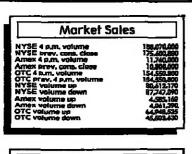
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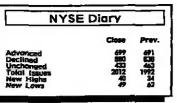
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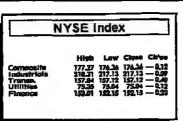


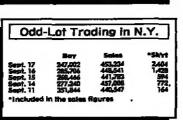
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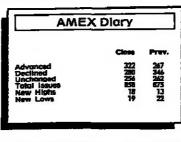




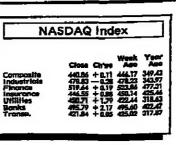




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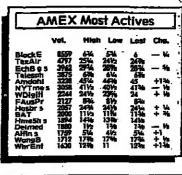


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NYSE Falls in Calm 'Witching'

NEW YORK - Prices on the New York Stock Exchange slipped in active trading Friday as the so-called triple-witching hour passed un-

The quarterly triple-witching hour phenome-non, in which stock index futures contracts fall due and options on those futures and options on individual stocks simultaneously expire, has typically been linked with abrupt market swings. But analysts said that new regulations in

The Dow Jones industrial average slid 3.26 to 2,524.64. For the week, the blue-chip barometer Declines outnumbered advances by a 9-7 ratio. Volume was 188.07 million shares, up

from 150.71 million Thursday. Friday's activity "was very smooth," said Joanne Hill, vice president in the financial futures department at Kidder, Peabody & Co. She said that regulatory and public scrutiny of witching-hour transactions gave traders an in-

Analysts said that stock prices were helped by a rally in bond futures but hurt by a weak dollar. The dollar fell on fear that the major industrial democracies, the Group of Seven, might decide to lower acceptable trading ranges for the currency when they meet in Washington

Hugh Johnson, head of the investment policy committee at First Albany Corp., called the G-7 rumor "baloney."

The government's report that gross national product grew at a 2.5 percent rate in the second

reported, had little impact on stock trading. "The market rarely looks backward," Mr.

quarter, instead of the 2.3 percent pace earlier

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Johnson said.

Dayton Hudson was the most active NYSE-listed issue, rising 5% to 58. Late Thursday, Dart Group said it proposed a friendly \$65-a-share merger with Dayton Hudson.

Portland General followed, falling % to 24%, USF&G was third rising % to 41%.

The retail sector weakened. Limited fell 2 to 36. The stock fell sharply after reporting a smaller-than-expected sales increase in August and it slipped again Thursday when the company indicated to analysts that profits in its fiscal second half would show only a 25- to 30 percent increase over the year-ago period. saw Limited's profits climb 43.4 percent in the first half of the year. Gap Stores dropped 8% to 47%. An Oppea-heimer & Co. retail analyst, Michelle Davis, removed Gap Stores and The Limited from her brokerage house's buy list, citing the rising cost of garments imported from Hong Kong. J.C. Penney fell 214 to 55% and K Mart dropped 2 to 40. Among blue chips, IBM dropped 2½ to 155½, General Electric rose ½ to 59%, AT&T edged up ½ to 31% and American Express rose ½ to 36½. Prices were mixed in moderate trading of American Stock Exchange issues and were mixed in over-the-counter activity. The American Stock Exchange index slipped 1.05 to 353.66 and the price of an average Amer share rose 4 cents. Gainers outnumbered losers by a 32-27 ratio.

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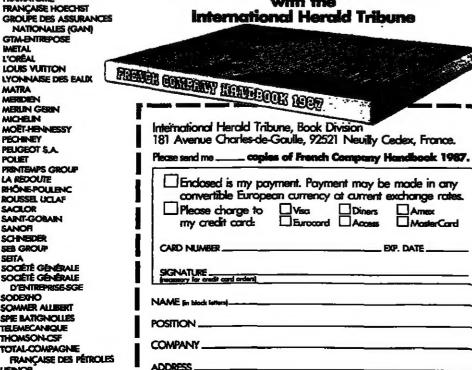
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Fiscal Timidity Jeopardizes 'Target Zones' for Dollar

By LEONARD SILK New York Times Service

FEW YORK - After last week's announcement of a record U.S. merchandise trade deficit of \$16.47 billion in July, stocks and bonds rallied and the dollar, after a brief drop, climbed. But on Tuesday, after the announcement of a record deficit in the second quarter of \$41.1 billion in the current account, a broader measure of trade, the securities markets fell and the dollar dropped.

Despite all this seemingly random fluttering, the markets have not panicked and the dollar has been holding within the probable "reference" bands or "target zones" set by the Group of Five industrial countries — the United States, Japan, West Germany, Britain, and France --- in Paris

There has never been official confirmation that those currency zones exist: Indeed, there are reasons to think that the pact, known as the Louvre accord, was a loose one, giving the countries freedom to intervene or not intervene, depending on their interpretation of

Without convergent G-5 policies, the currency is likely to fall over time.

national needs and economic developments. Nevertheless, the heavy intervention by central banks and the course of the dollar since the Louvre meeting lend support to the market's view that target zones exist. During the first five months of 1987, a dozen governments spent \$78 billion buying dollars, with Japan, West Germany, and Britain the biggest dollar buyers. The U.S. contribution to supporting the dollar has been

relatively modest. According to a Federal Reserve bulletin, it amounted to \$4.1 billion from February to April, all financed by drawing on its foreign currency balances. Washington might have taken on more of the exchange risk of supporting the dollar by borrowing foreign currencies, especially year, by issuing "Reagan bonds" similar to those issued by the Carter administration.

Denominated in strong foreign currencies and backed by the Treasury, Reagan bonds might have eased the pressure on U.S. interest rates. But President Ronald Reagan and Treasury Secretary James A. Baker 3d rejected the idea.

HE FUNDAMENTAL reason for doing so, said Stephen Marcis of the Institution of International Economics, was that "a decision by the United States Treasury to borrow in foreign currencies could well be interpreted by the markets as a

Most unpleasant of all, from a political standpoint, would be the need for the Reagan administration to agree to increase taxes and cut military spending to reduce the budget deficit, which most economists regard as crucial to reducing the trade deficit. Such action could increase the risk of recession

There also has been resistance on the side of the Europeans and Japanese against taking the fiscal actions needed to correct their trade imbalance with the United States. They could do this by cutting taxes or raising outlays, military or civilian. But, fearing inflation and the loss of foreign markets, the European countries and Japan have dragged their heels on stimulating faster growth. Without such "convergent" fiscal actions on both sides of the

Atlantic and Pacific, the U.S. trade deficit and, over time, the decline of the dollar are likely to persist.

Thanks to heavy central bank intervention that has cowed the merkets, the collar has been holding up this year. A hopeful view, Mr. Marris says, is that central banks are giving breathing space to the markets, and time to governments to overcome the political

obstacles to taking fiscal action.

But a much darker view is that the current pattern of exchange rates cannot hold much longer and that the necessary changes in policy are unlikely to be made in time to prevent big trouble: runs on the dollar, escalating interest rates, an inflationary recession for the United States, and a hard landing for the world economy.

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Reagan **Economist** Resigns

Sprinkel Leaves As Council Head

WASHINGTON - Beryl W.

Sprinkel, a conservative economist who muted his criticism of the Federal Reserve Board to serve as President Ronald Reagan's top economic adviser, resigned on Friday.

Mr. Sprinkel, 63, cited personal reasons and a desire to return to the private sector. His resignation takes effect in late November

Mr. Sprinkel said he would return to Flossmoor, Illinois, a Chi-cago suburb. He said he had no specific plans but hoped to be a corporate consultant, do some public speaking, writing and possibly some teaching.

Economists said they did not think Mr. Sprinkel's departure as chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers would signal any change in administration economy policy. He has held the post since April 1985.

"The history of the council under Reagan has been that Reagan has been his own chief economist," said Allen Sinsi, chief economist for Shearson Lehman Brothers in New York. The council and its chairman "have essentially been ignored by Reagan for years," he added. David Jones, chief economist for

Anbrey G. Lanston & Co. in New York, said the major influence on the administration's economic poficy-making had been Treasury Secretary James A. Baker 3d and the Fed. "I don't see any changes in budget policy or monetary policy coming out of this resignation," Mr. Jones added.

Leading candidates for Mr. Sprinkel's job include two other members of the council, Thomas Gale Moore and Michael Mussa, according to administration

Close associates of Mr. Sprinkel, who spoke on the condition of anonymity, cited his disappointment with being passed over for the job of Federal Reserve chairmen last June as a factor in his decision. The post went instead to Alan Green-

But Mr. Sprinkel said: "I'm not leaving with sour grapes or irrita-tion. I'm leaving with great respect for the governmental process and for President Resgan in particu-

President Reagan, in a letter to Mr. Sprinkel, said he accepted the resignation "with the deepest re-

Mr. Sprinkel had been a frequent critic of the Fed's monetary poli-cies in his former job as assistant Treasury secretary for monetary af-fairs and, before that, as vice presi-

But he maintained a low profile in the White House job, usually refusing to comment in any fashion

However, Mr. Sprinkel said he planned to be more vocal as a private citizen. "I have some knowledge, certain views, about policy and business issues and I expect to speak out on them," he said.

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A New Sheen to German Textiles

Firms Use Design, Technology to Fight Asian Threat

By Ferdinand Protzman

Immunitarial Hamild Tellama FRANKFURT — In 1970, the West German textile industry looked like it was about to be buried in a shroud labeled "Made in Hong Kong." With cheap textiles imported from Asia rapidly flooding the European market, many were predicting a quick yet painful demise.

But today, thanks to a greater emphasis on restructuring, technology and creativity in design and marketing, the West German industry is alive

One might say that the shroud has been replaced by a designer suit labeled "Made in Germany." Pessimism has given way to the conviction that ingenuity and engineering can keep the textile

But it is at best a precarious existence. For West Germany's textile industry, survival "contains both the elements of creation and destruction," said Wolf Dieter Kruse, president of the producers association Gesamment

The number of factories and workers has been reduced by half over the past 15 years, but produc-tion has been fairly stable. West Germany's leadership in developing new technologies has pushed

Ironically, the technological advances that are helping West Germany hold its position as the No.

3 textile exporter and No. 2 importer are a threat to the industry's existence.

The technology is rapidly adopted by competitors in countries with low labor costs such as South Korea, Hong Kong and Taiwan. The result is a scenningly ever-tightening, competitive circle, with success berely lasting long enough to be savored.

"It's rabid adaptation," said Walter Ferner, the managing board chairman of Nino AG of Nord-born, which is one of the nation's largest makers of cotton fabrics for the clothing industry.

"The Asian nations get the new machines imme diately and they learn very quickly," he said. "A new textile product in the fashion industry has a life span of one, maybe two years. By then, you better have come up with something else."

Shifting foreign exchange rates, protectionist measures and the ups and downs of prices of raw materials add to the daily pressure on West Germen textile manufacturers, Mr. Ferner said.

Most of them are small- and medium-size companies. Their problems are a microcosm of the situation faced by medium-size West German industrial concerns competing on an international

Despite the obstacles, textile industry sales rose last year to 36.5 billion Deutsche marks (\$20.1 See TEXTILES, Page 15

Japan's Growth **Slowed to Halt** In 2d Quarter

TOKYO - Japan's economic growth slowed to a halt in the second quarter, the Economic Planning Agency said Friday, causing fears that the country's economic policy will come under renewed at-

The slowdown to zero growth, when adjusted for inflation, followed robust annualized growth of

tack from abroad.

The dollar dipped in Europe against the yeu and the Deutsche mark. Page 15.

5.3 percent in the previous three months. First quarter growth in gross national product, on an annual rate, was originally put at 4.9

Agency officials blamed the slowdown on a sharp drop in exports and a rise in imports, reflecting the strength of the yen.

They predicted that the poor performance would not prevent the government from hitting its 3.5 percent growth target for 1987-88.

But they said they were afraid the United States would use the

second quarter figures to badger

Japan into pumping up its economy further. The slowdown in Japan's growth is likely to put downward pressure on the dollar, analysts said.

The agency also said that gross national product, the country's total output of goods and services, grew 1.3 percent in the first quarter from the previous quarter, revised npward from 1,2 percent. In nominal terms, GNP fell 0.2

percent in the second quarter from the previous period after a revised 0.9 percent rise in the first quarter. First quarter growth was originally put at 0.7 percent.

Domestic demand showed a real 1.2 percent quarter-on-quarter rise in the second quarter after an upwardly revised 0.8 percent rise in

Domestic demand contributed 1.2 percentage points to GNP per-formance in the second quarter, while foreign trade knocked off 1.1 points. In the first quarter, demand contributed 0.8 point, while foreign trade added 0.5. The figures do not

tally exactly, because of rounding.
The agency said exports fell 1.6
percent in terms of value in the second quarter from the previous quarter, while imports rose 5.9 per-

The negative 1.1 point contribu-tion of foreign trade to GNP in the

second quarter consisted of 0.3 point from exports and 0.9 from imports.

News of Japan's poor economic performance emerged days ahead of the start of international meet-

ings in Washington, where the United States is expected to press both Japan and West Germany to do more to help the world econo-Japanese government economists said Friday they are beginning to question the current multilateral strategy for reducing world trade imbalances, and are wonder

ing whether a U.S. recession is needed to cut the U.S. deficit. "You should not be so worried about a recession," one economist said, adding that an economic downturn may be the only way for the United States to reduce its ap-

petite for imports. Under the current strategy, the so-called Louvre accord reached in February, Japan and West Germany are required to boost their economies and imports to take up the burden of world growth.

In return, the United States is striving to cut its huge budget defi-

All seven nations participating it the strategy, Canada, France, Italy, Japan, britain, the United States and West Germany, have also agreed that a further significant dethe first quarter. The first quarter cline of the dollar would be coun-

Brazil Plan Is Reported To Seek Lower Interest

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But It Offers Some Payment of Arrears have set aside billions of dollars in

By Juan de Onis

sales even higher.

BRASILIA — A new Brazilian proposal for refinancing part of its \$110 billion foreign debt will offer a small payment on interest arrears in return for a reduction in future interest charges by creditor banks, according to banking sources.

Brazil declared a moratorium on dent and senior economist for Har- foreign debt service in February. ris Trust & Savings Bank in Since then, about \$2.8 billion in interest has been unpaid.

If payments are not resumed by next month, bank inspectors in the United States and Japan may declare the value of Brazil's debt "impeired," requiring banks to in-crease contingency reserves and incur losses.

Already, some major banks have designated billions of dollars in loans to Brazil as delinquent and

Walter Loeb, an analyst with

in earnings on \$2.04 billion in reve-

they have attempted to acquire.

posal to convert about \$35 billion in debt into long-term bonds, with a discount. Treasury Secretary James A. Baker 3d told Mr. Bresser Pereira during a meeting in Washington on Sept. 8 that the debt-discount con-

cept was a "nonstarter." The proposal called for about half of the \$68 billion owed to foreign banks to be converted to bonds that would be sold at a sharp discount. The proposal was also sharply ejected by foreign bank creditors.

have caused losses or greatly re-

These banks include Citicorp.

Chase Manhattan Corp., Bank-America Corp., National Westmin-ster Bank PLC, Midland Bank PLC

Brazil's finance minister, Luiz

Carlos Bresser Pereira, who plans

to be in Washington next week to reopen negotiations with creditor

banks, has modified an earlier pro-

and Lloyds Bank PLC.

The new proposal maintains the conversion of debt into bonds, at full value, but with fixed interest rates lower than those now being applied to the existing debt. In compensation to the creditors, the bonds would carry the privilege of ing charged on Brazil's \$68 million conversion into selected Brazilian equities, the sources said.

tive about authorizing such conversions than Mexico or Chile, where conversion has reduced the debt by \$2 billion, or 10 percent.

Bresser Pereira hopes to get the

now, Brazil has been more restric- zero spread.



Luiz Carlos Bresser Pereira

With his new proposal, Mr.

be a political blow to the government of President José Sarney. president of Brazil's central bank and the chief negotiator with the

to U.S. diplomats that Brazil must get something in return for making even a token interest payment. One form of compensation could be a reduction in the "spread" be-

creditor banks to open negotiations on an interim agreement that would avoid a reduced classification of Brazil's credit, which would But Fernão Bracher, former

private foreign banks, has insisted

medium-term debt to private banks, which is now 2 percent over The conversion of debt to equity the London interbank offered rate. is attractive to many banks. Until Mr. Bresser has said he wants a

U.S. Raises Estimate Of GNP Growth to 2.5% the second quarter to a 2.5 percent rate, saying better-than-expected

business investment and trade made the difference. The Commerce Department had calculated last month that gross national product was rising after in-

flation at a 2.3 percent annual rate. GNP is a highly important national economic statistic because it sums up the value of all goods and

services produced. Also Friday, the government said U.S. corporations' after-tax profits grew by 4.3 percent in the second quarter this year, not by 4.2 percent as it previously estimated.

While Friday's figures indicate the economy as a whole is only marginally better than experts had figured, they gave the Reagan administration reason to cheer.

The Commerce Department said one reason that GNP after inflation rose at a 2.5 percent annual rate was that real, or inflation-adjusted, net exports of goods and services grew by \$2.5 billion in the quarter, rather than the \$1.9 billion originally estimated.

Both those numbers are expressed in 1982-value dollars in or-der to account for inflation.

en to a 3.2 percent growth rate for all of 1987.

If real exports were to grow all year at the rate they showed from April through June, the total would

showing for that category since the WASHINGTON - The govern- first quarter of 1980. ment on Friday raised its estimate In addition, real investment ex-

of U.S. economic growth during cluding housing rose by \$11.9 bil-the second guarter to a 2.5 percent lion instead of the \$9.6 billion first reported. Analysts say such an incrosse shows business is growing. The trade and investment gains

more than offset downward revisions in personal consumption and government purchases. However, the big growth in exports was offset somewhat by an 11.1 percent jump in imports,

spurred upward by a higher bill for purchases of oil abroad. The quarter's 2.5 percent growth rate means the economy has slowed from its pace during January

through Merch, when the rate was 4.4 percent. Many economists believe growth has continued to slow during the current quarter, but the first clear sign will not come until the govern-

ment issues its estimate of the quar-ter's GNP on Oct. 23. For the first six months of the year, GNP grew at a rate of 3.5 ninistration's forecast for the en-

In 1986, GNP grew 2.9 percent, and the administration is predicting that the economy will strength-

To meet that goal, economic growth would have to average 3 percent in the second half of the

end up rising 17.9 percent, the gov-ernment said. That is the best most private forecasts.

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surviving company for each of of \$23 million on \$2.31 billion in

Dayton Hudson's 97.4 million revenue, down from \$36.7 million

Dayton Hudson stock rose

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Florida Governor Seeks Repeal of Services Tax The Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE, Florida — In a public reversal, Governor Bob Martinez called Friday for repeal of Florida's unpopular services tax, saying he had made a mistake that upset the state's people.

Mr. Martinez, who had helped push the measure through the state legislature, said he made sure through the state legislature, said he made a mistake by backing the levy before tackling

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the people of Florida," he said. "More impor-tantly, it has severely damaged the people's confidence in government."

The Republican governor's popularity plum-meted in polls after he and the Democratcontrolled legislature pushed the services tax The 5 percent sales tax on services — including advertising, professional fees, lawn maintenance and pest control — triggered protest from major national advertisers, publishers and trade associations. Some of them canceled convenions and withdrew their advertising from Florida for a time.

The tax was expected to raise about \$745 million this year and \$1.2 billion in the second The governor has called the state legislature into special session on Monday to revise or repeal the tax.

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By then, De Beers's diamond stockpile had been cut to \$1.84 billion from \$1.95 billion in 1984.

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"The overall effect was that our own stocks of

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Museum Maxwell Raises Stakes Out W Rank Group In 2 U.K. Bank Groups

LONDON — The British publisher Robert Maxwell raised his holdings Friday in the banking groups Gunness Peat Group PLC PLC, apparently for investment purposes, officials said. ... Mr. Maxwell said he had raised

his stake in Guinness Peat, the tar- they did not welcome Mr. Maxget of a hostile takeover bid by well's amions either.

Equitioosp Holdings Ltd. of New Zealand, to 9.6 percent from 6.3

Richard Fenhalls, chief executive of Ansbacher, welcomed the percent Thursday. He held less increased stake taken by Mr. Max-

well's British Printing & Communi-cation Corp., had raised its stake in the merchant banking group to 9.17 percent from less than 5 pereent. It described Mr. Maxwell's shares are firmly in the hands of move as "a long-term investment." five friendly institutions," he said. Guinness Peat shares rose 1 David Pourney, a banking anapence on the London Stock Ex- lyst at Barclays de Zoete Wedd, change to close at 121 pence after agreed. "Maxwell may have 9 per-the announcement of Mr. Max-cent, but he would never be able to

for the 60.8 percent of Guinness bacher might be seeking capital to Feat it does not own to 115 pence expand in Europe and in the Unit-per share this week from its original ed States and may have wanted Mr. bid of 110 pence. It also bought an Maxwell's unit to subscribe to additional 11.9 million shares. The

new offer is valued at about £356.3 million (\$586.8 million).

A deputy chairman of Equity-corp, Grant Adams, said this week that Mr. Maxwell's buildup of and Henry Ansbacher Holdings shares in Guinness Peat "was confusing the market." He accused Mr. Maxwell of acting as a spoiler.

Sources at Guinness Peat said

than a I percent stake Wednesday. well's Pergamon unit. "Mr Max-Equitions has said it sees Mr. well is a long standing client of Maxwell as a "spoiler." ours, "he said. "We have had a long and beneficial relationship. As far ings Ltd., a subsidiary of Mr. Max- as I am aware this is a long term

Mr. Fenhalis discounted the possibility of any takeover by Mr. Maxwell. "Over 80 percent of our shares are firmly in the hands of

well's increased stake. Analyscher make a bid because of the institu-rose 5.5 pence to 103. Equiticorp raised its hostile offer Another analyst said that Ans-

London International Grows

LONDON — London Interna-tional Group PLC, a manufacturer of condoms, said Friday that it 24, and an investor put option in would purchase a company in the 1992 which, if exercised, is expectwould purchase a company in the same field, HATU-ICO, for £47.9 million (\$78.9 million). HATU-ICO, based in Italy, also

makes other over-the-counter health and personal care products. The acquisition, which will be funded by a £50 million convertible Eurobond issue announced Friday, will more than double London In-

Europe. The Burobond issue carries an indicated convertible premium of approximately 22 to 26 percent

rternational's sales in continental

over the prevailing market price of the company's ordinary shares on the pricing date, on or before Sept. ed to yield 8.5 to 8.75 percent. London International said con-

somer demand for condoms in North America, Britain and continental Europe was growing rapidly in response to concern over the spread of acquired immune deficiency syndrome.

In calendar 1986, the HATU group had operating profit of £4.9 million and pretax profit of £2.7 million on sales of approximately £52 million, a London Internation-



Chester Higgins Jr./The New York Time A dealer in New York inspecting a dia

LONDON — Sometime next month, an elite group of 140 businessmen will fly into London from places as far-flung as Antwerp, Bombay, Tel Aviv and New York. They will have one thing in

The group, chosen from thousands of dealers, has been invited to the next dismond sale by the

Central Selling Organization, London-based mar-keting arm of De Beers Consolidated Mines Ltd.

As usual, the sale, known as a sight, will be conducted in private and under strict security.

There will be no hagging about quality, price or

De Beers can dictate such conditions because

"In diamond districts, they refer to us simply as

the South African group controls more than 80 percent of the world diamond market.

'the syndicate,' but it doesn't seem a derogatory label," said Andrew Lamont, a CSO spokesman.

De Beers, which coined the slogan "a diamond is forever," spends \$110 million a year on advertising

It regulates supplies of gens and industrial dis-monds from mines in 20 countries, notably South

Africa, Botswana, Australia and Zaire, to dealers

"They are very good friends," said one client, who asked not to be identified. "They give us

stability, but we still guard our independence as

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De Beers Sets Sights on Higher Prices

Diamond Behemoth Profits From Market's Recovery

Undeterred by Rebuffs, Sales on Rise Saatchi Courts Banks change in sales of rough diamonds by the De Beers Consolidated Selling Organization. LONDON - After unsuccessful

proposals to Midland Bank PLC and the merchant bank Hill Samuel Group PLC, Saatchi & Saatchi Co. remains undeterred in its search for

vices sector. Saatchi, the world's largest adinto financial services as an extension of its other business-service interests, marketing and management consultancy.
Thus far, Saatchi's marriage pro-

posals, leaked to the press this week, have been turned down. Midland, one of four British clearing banks, has been the subject

of takeover speculation since making first-half provisions of £916 or ing first-half provisions of £916 pect, then such a move is fraught million (currently \$1.5 billion) for with the risk that business services uncertain Third World loans. But it described Saatchi's solicitation, which it turned down earlier this bankers said. month, as "lacking strategic or commercial logic."
Hill Samuel's rebuff, reported

Thursday, was a touch more polite, noting that Saatchi's plan offered no "clear commercial advantages." Now, according to rumors in the

next on the proposal list.

"Now they're saying it's us," said a Morgan spokesman, bursting into laughter. He said Saatchi hadn't approached the bank.

The head of a British merchant banking group in London said, "If Hill Samuel, which was troubled by a bride in London's financial serfailed merger talks to begin with, told Saatchi to get lost, then Morvertising company, has put out gan Grenfell, which is in a far less word that it is anxious to diversify precarious state, can't be expected to even come to the door.

Last month, Union Bank of Switzerland unexpectedly ended merger talks with Hill Samuel. aatchi's motives for venturing

tions in the City, London's financial district, are not clear. If Saatchi is to create a financial

come unglued, some analysts and A further question mark is whether Bank of England regulators would sanction a takeover of a major British bank by a nonfinan-

cial concern. However, many City observers believe that Saatchi, one of Britfinancial press, merchant bank ain's most acquisitive companies, Morgan Grenfell Group PLC is will eventually win a bride in the

tripled in the quarter. BHP said sales rose 9.5 percent to 2.3 billion dollars in the quarter, from 2.1 billion. Earnonto the turf of established instituings per share were 14.9 cents, up from 11.7 cents.

In June, BHP had blamed lower world oil prices and problems in the steel industry for a sharper-than-expected 17 percent decline in earnings for the year ended May 31.

BHP Net Rises

32%, Boosted

By Oil Earnings

MELEOURNE - Austra-

lia's largest company. Broken

Hill Pty, reported Friday that

net profit rose 32 percent 10
233.4 million Australian dollars

(\$171.04 million) in the first

quarter ended Aug. 31, from

176.7 million a year earlier. It said the main factor was petro-

leum earnings, which more than

But in the latest quarter, BHP said that net earnings from pe-troleum rose to 100.5 million dollars from 24.2 million a year eartier because of higher world prices and a rise in its Australian output.

Net earnings from minerals rose to 82.7 million dollars from 76.5 million a year earlier, but steel profit dropped to 40.5 million from 61.7 million.

Sanofi Seeks U.S. Acquisition

pharmaceuticals and cosmetics group, reported a 40 percent increase Friday in its first-half net profit and said it was seeking a U.S. acquisition after selling certain holdings to American Home Products Corp.

Net profit rose to 267 million francs (\$44.1 million) from 191 million francs in the first six months of 1986. Sanofi said. Consolidated net revenue rose 10 percent to 6.37 bil-

In a statement accompanying the results, Sanofi said it had sold to American Home the 33 percent stake that it held in the U.S. company's French units, Wyeth Byla

PARIS - Sanofi, the French (\$165.1 million).

"Thus, Sanofi recovers complete freedom in its search for a pharmacenticals acquisition in the United States," the company said.

Sanofi did not specify further what type of company it would seek to buy. But it said that an acquisition would help the group bolster its international presence in the pharmaceuticals market.

Sanofi attributed the 10 percen gain in first-half revenue to varied performances. Sales rose 18.8 percent in perfumes and cosmetics and 4.3 percent in pharmaceuticals, but declined 4.2 percent in the bio-inConverging Technologies
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Proupost Shares Tumble on Bourse

Agence France-Preses PARIS - The stock price of Prouvost SA, the textile group that is the object of a battle for control plunged 17 percent Friday on the Paris Bourse.

Protryoet closed at 580 francs (\$97), from 700 at Thursday's close. Almost 20,000 shares changed hands at 2:30 P.M.

Some analysts said that one of the two men who have been accumulating Pronvost shares, Jérôme Seydoux, chairman of Chargeurs SA, or Christian loy, Prouvost's president, might have won control of 50 percent of Prouvost, and the other sold shares.

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DOMESTIC POSITIONS WANTED

Tate & Lyle Will Sell Stake in Berisford

LONDON - Tate & Lyle PLC, a big sugar and tea producer, said Priday it had agreed to sell its 14.99 percent holding in S&W Berisford PLC for around £100 million (\$164

million). The 28.7 million shareholding will be sold to trusts to benefit members of the Pritzker families of Chicago, the directors of Berisford and a number of institutional investors. Becisford is a sugar reliner.

The sale is based on a share price of 348.5 pence with 75 percent of the stake to be taken by the Pritzker trusts, said a Beristord spokesman. On the London Stock Exchange,

Friday to close at 357.

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ford board, said the Pritzker trust- was still possible that there might ees saw the holding as an excellent be a bid in the future.

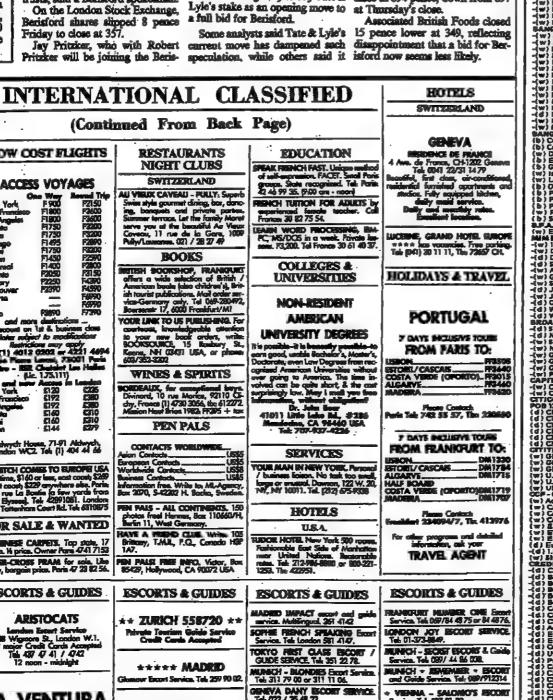
long-term opportunity. The Tate & Lyle's finance director, Pritzker family owns Hyatt Hotels James Kerr-Muir, said the company had some time ago decided to sell the stake and not to make a renewed bid for British Sugar. Cosp. and Braziff Airlines. Berisford's subsidiary, British Sugar Corp PLC, was the target earlier this year of unsuccessful Mr. Kerr-Mnir said the sale was

not part of a fund-raising program takeover attempts by both Tate & Lyle and Gruppo Ferruzzi of Italy. The Ferruzzi bid was blocked by and that the company's cash position was "very liquid."

Tate & Lyle also announced Fri-Britain's monopolies commission

day the £8 million sale of its Ridg-Analysts said that following that ways tea blending and packing opaction there had been widespread
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Foods PLC might try to buy Tate & Lyle shares slipped to
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first U.S. restaurant concern to op-

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Jobs Picture Worries Johannesburg Economist DURBAN, South Africa — Unemployment in South Africa could soar to 9.8 million by the year 2000 if foreign sanctions succeed in hurting the economy, according to Ronald Bethlehem, an economist for Johannesburg Consolidated

an economist for Jonannesburg Consoliumes Investment Co.

Mr. Bethlehem said that current estimates of more than 3 million unemployed were too low and that his estimates put the actual figure at more than 4.5 million. more than 4.5 million.

Even without a serious impact from sanctions, joblessness could hit 7.8 million by 2000 unless the economy grew sufficiently to match the rise in the black population, he said.

The black population, currently at 25 million, was growing by an average of nearly 3 percent annually while economic growth in the first five years of this decade averaged less than 1 percent a year, Mr. Bethlehem said.

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CURRENCY MARKETS

Make N Dollar Lower on Rumored G-7 Plan

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatcher
NEW YORK — The dollar closed lower Friday on suspicaous that the Group of Seven major industrial democracies might move to lower acceptable trading ranges to lower acceptable trading ranges to lower acceptable trading ranges. dostrial democracies might move to lower acceptable trading ranges for the U.S. currency when they meet in Washington next week. Source : Reuters

on reports that the G-7 had agreed to lower the band to 130 to 150 against the yen," one New York trader said, noting that the reports surfaced in the Far East. The current trading band supported by the seven nations is between 140 and 160 yen, dealers believe. "The dollar came under pressure

seven nations is between 160 yen, dealers believe.
The dellar closed in New York at 142.55 yen, down from 143.40 at 1.8060 Thursday's close, and at 1.8000 Deutsche marks, down from 1.8165. It fell to 6.0225 French francs from 6.0555 and to 1.4965 Swiss francs from 1.5060.

It also slipped against the British pound, which ended at \$1.657,

pound, which enden at state, against \$1.647 Thursday.
Finance ministers of the Group of Seven—the United States, West Germany, Japan, Britain, France, Italy and Canada — are expected in discuss foreign exchange policies to discuss foreign exchange policies prior to the International Monetary Fund and World Bank meet-

washington.

And while the G-7 finance ministers have never disclosed the existers have never disclosed the existence of approved trading ranges, isters have never disclosed the can-tence of approved trading ranges, the market has operated on the assumption that certain targets

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against the mark ahead of the meet- derived from high interest rates. ing of finance officials.

In London, the dollar dipped the Bank of England near the level In London, the dollar dipped against most major currencies although the market seemed reluction to give way to bearishness.

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ground against the pound, which French Iranes, down from 6.0555. ended at \$1.6555 after closing at It closed in Zurich at 1.497 Swiss \$1.6470 Thursday.

dollar showed unexpected resilience after news a week ago of a record U.S. merchandise trade deficit. The report caught short-sellers off guard. "It has been a bad week," one dealer said. "Burnt and bored could sum it up."

The pound benefited in Europe from the uncertainty surrounding the dollar as a string of encouragthat the dollar would remain within ing British economic data added to a range of 1.79 DM to 1.82 DM the attraction that the currency has But the threat of intervention by

down from 1.8148 DM at Thurs-dollar was fixed in Frankfurt at day's close, and at 142.60 yen, 1.8092 DM, down from 1.8174 DM down from 143.30. It also lost Thursday, and in Paris at 6.0305

the decline had little effect.

Caution has prevailed since the As Business Tax Pours In, Fed Boosts Reserves exchange rates and the rapidity expanding production capacities of developing nations and their emergence as major market powers made the outlook bleak for West

They said the provision of reserves through open market operations shows that the Fed has no intention

ample liquidity in the system.

Knowing that pressures will mount in the coming week, the Fed provided more reserves by offering four- and seven-day fixed-term system repurchases on

Dealers said the dollar staged a brief advance Friday when it was reported that the growth rate of the less y federal fruids rate, the rate that banks charge second quarter was revised to 2.5 percent.

The concomists said that, once tax pressures abate, the key federal fruids rate, the rate that banks charge second quarter was revised to 2.5 percent.

The marginal estimate of 2.3 percent.

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G-7 May Alter: Dollar-Yen Range

TOKYO — The Group of Seven industrial nations is like-

of Japan intervention to halt

financial sources in New York. The current targeted range is 140 to 160 year, Yomiuri Shim-bun reported. It quoted the sources as saying that a decline of the dollar to less than 140 yen was inevitable because there is no sign of a reduction in the

The dollar fell in Tokyo after the report, closing at 142.73 year after a Thursday finish in New York of 143.40. Limited Bank

ly to reach tacit agreement later this month to lower the dollar's permissible range to 130 to 150. yen, a Japanese newspaper said Friday, quoting international

U.S. trade deficit.

NEW YORK — The Federal Reserve is pumping buge amounts of reserves into the banking system to prevent interest rates from rising sharply as a result of corporate tax payments in September, according to the statement period, were just \$135 million a corporate tax payments in September, according to the statement period, were just \$135 million a corporate tax payments.

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at the moment of following up its increase in the discount rate by further tightening its grip on credit. On Sept. 4, the Fed raised the discount rate, the interest it charges on loans to financial institutions, to

ecord, in the week ended Wednesday, mainly as a

12 Month High Low Stock

ous year. It imported textiles worth and synthetic fibers, such as rayon design or engineering," he said, 34.6 billion DM, up 4.4 percent from 1985. And the textile production of the productio ers association does not factor belts. changes in the mark's value into the sales totals

The textile companies lack the financial muscle of West Germajust as dependent on exports and are highly capital-intensive, said Mr. Kruse of the industry association. As a result, they have little choice but to continually upgrade their production and business.

The shift away from mass production mad duction has not been painless, particularly for the textile workers, lost our innovative edge, there would be serious difficulties."

The shift away from mass production. As a result, they have little choice but to continually upgrade their production and business. their production and business methods.

According to Mr. Kruse, the industry's deepest postwar crisis came in the early 1970s. Slowing domestic demand, the introduction of floating rather than fixed foreign exchange rates and the rapidly ex-

But the adjustment to a market have family ties which make that swamped with cheap, mass-produced textiles from developing nations required a major shift in stratile worker earns 14.50 DM (\$8) and order

TEXTILES: Amid Asian Threat, Ingenuity Keeps German Industry Going

West Germany exported 26 biland wool cloth used to make delion DM of textile products in
1986, up 2.5 percent from the previrics for draperies and upholstery.

"No one wants to study textile

About 60 percent of total production goes to the clothing industry, 25 percent is used for household purposes and 15 percent for more critical to survival than even

1957, as new generations of power looms, spinning and fabric printing machines and integrated production systems replaced human be-

ings.
There is a human side to all this the employers prefer to ignore," said Ernst Ringelstein, chief econo-mist for Gewerkschaft Textil-Bekleidung, the textile and clothing workers union.

"To them, workers whose jobs result of its offer on Monday to purchase coupon securities for its own account.

Discount window borrowings in the week, the first half of a statement period, were just \$363 million a day, and fed funds, which averaged 7.21 percent in the week, fell to 7.0625 percent on Thursday, reflecting ample liquidity in the system.

German textile producers.

"Many prognosticators at the structural change," be said.

"But in the clothing industry, for example, 80 percent of the workers mated the vitality and adaptability of our sector."

But workers whose jobs disappear are just by-products of the structural change," be said.

"But in the clothing industry, for example, 80 percent of the workers maked the vitality and adaptability of our sector."

(Continued from first finance page) skills. So far, that has proven corneers to run the company's factory billion at current rates), a 45 percent gain from 25.13 billion DM in

The specialized textiles include such items as high-quality cotton ers, is a family-run producer of high guillion from 25.13 billion DM in 1970.

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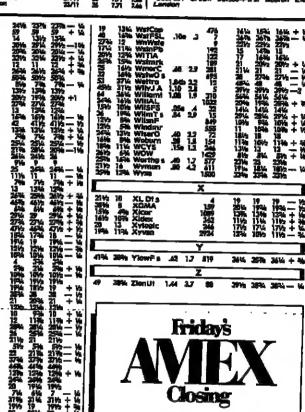
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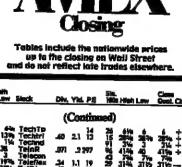


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SPORTS



The Mets' Keith Hernandez was bowled over and called out by umpire Bob Davidson.

Week 2: It Could Be a Short Season

By Gerald Eskenazi New York Times Service NEW YORK - Is that all there

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Will it be a two-game season, with the New Orleans Saints guaranteed their best standing ever of at least a tie for first in their division? There is a poignancy about the National Football League's second week of games, for it could be the

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last if there is a strike - unless, of course, the league goes ahead with its plans to field strike teams starting with Week 4.

After one game, neither of the league's top two draft picks has seen action. And Vinny Testaverde will again watch as Steve DeBerg leads Tampa Bay against the Bears in Chicago Sunday, while Corne-lius Beanett is still a holdout for the Colts, who host the Dolphins,

NATIONAL CONFERENCE Dellas Cowboys (0-1) at New York Giants (0-1) — Bill Parcells wasn't just mouthing old coaching cliches when he warned the Giants they had better start producing. Look for the Gients' offense to protect Phil Simms this time after the trouncing by the Bears on Mon-day. The result should be an attack to do some damage, running and passing. The Giants have been favored by Harrah's Reno Race & Sports Book to win by 12 points.

sesota Vikings (1-8) at Los Angeles Rams (0-1) — Ernie Zampese, the Rams' new offensive coor-dinator, tried too much too soon with the young Jim Everett at quar-terback. The result: only 16 points terback. The result: only 16 points play the sembs against than the and a loss to Houston. Now, after Falcons, who yielded 48 points to another week of work, Everett faces a very solid Viking team that has Wade Wilson performing at quarterback for the injured Tommy

New Orleans Saints (1-0) at Philelphia Eagles (0-1) — The Eagles have come to terms with an important player, Roynell Young, and he will step in at left cornerback to replace William Frizzell, beaten badly by the Keuskins a week is the er. Rueben Mayer's running is the big Saints threat. Saints by 1½.

Tampa Bay Bucs (1-0) at Chicago Bears (1-8) — High-flying Bocs against the possibly flat Bears? Well, the Bucs may find out Bears are bigger than Falcons. The Bears have won 24 of their last 26 games against division opponents, but Coach Mike Ditka is concerned about a letdown and the short week · after the big game against the Gi-

ants. Bears by 14½.

Washington Redskins (1-8) at Atrun, which it couldn't do ag
the Broncos. Scahawks by 7. ... ants. Bears by

NFL, Players To Meet Again New York Times Service

NEW YORK - The heads of the recalcitrant sides in the National Football League's contract talks agreed to meet face-to-face Priday in Washington to try to reach agreement on a new contract before the strike

deadline Tuesday.

But Gene Upshaw, the NFL.

Players Association executive director, was still defiant as he spoke from his Washington office Thursday to tell of the proposed meeting with Jack Don-lan, head of the Management Council, the league's bargain-ing arm. "I told him whatever we do, we do in Washington,' Upshaw said. "They're trying to solate me away from my mem-

Donism has contended that they should meet at a neutral site so that Upshaw would be forced to sit at the table and not be able to return readily to his office. The sides met Tuesday in Washington, where the union offered a proposal, which Don-lan rejected Wednesday as a Christmas wish" list.

the Redshins lost their onerterback (Jay Schroeder), star runner (George Rogers), center (Russ Grimm) and place-kicker (Jess Atkinson). But what better team to Tampa Bay? Not so fast, Atlanta's defense isn't that bad. It should have some success in hurrying Doug Williams at quarterback. Redskins by ?

Houston Ollers (1-0) at Buffalo yards. Raiders by 7. Bills (8-1) - Jim Kelly was one of only three quarterbacks who completed 50 percent of their passes can neutralize anyone's pass rush, against the Oilers in 1986. Houston so the Cardinals' eight sacks in the started off 1987 by holding the victory over Dallas mean less here Rams' Everett to 9 completions in than one might think. The Char-26 attempts. Kelly will need some gers' defense continues to improve,

Keens City Chiefs (1-0) at Seatthe Seahawks (0-1) — A year ago,
the Seahawks began a four-game
losing streak in dropping a game at
assistant, Sam Wyche, guides the Denver. They have a tough re-bounding job this season against a st left tackle, blocking for the excit-Chief's team whose rookie runner, ing backfield duo of James Brooks, Christian Okoye, produced a 105-yard debut. Seattle must halt the terback. The 49ers had four turn-

napolis Colts (0-1) — Dan Marino is 8-0 against the Colts, who have lost their last 13 games to the Dol-phins. The Colts will change quar-terbacks, with Gary Hogeboom re-placing Jack Trudesu. The Colts

placing Jack Trudesu. The Cotts desperately need a running game. They got only 85 yards against the Bengals. Dolphins by 5.

Pittsburgh Steelers (1-0) at Cleveland Browns (8-1) — From his safety position, the Steelers' Donnie Shell will zero in on the Browns' state and Octal Neuronne. Browns' tight end, Ozzie Newsome. Refurbished Pittsburgh defense strength and will be tested against

multiple-offense. Browns by 6. New England Patriots (1-0) at New York Jets (1-0) - This game, Monday night, could extend the strike deadline to Tuesday afternoon. Both teams' passers -Grogan, replacing Tony Eason, and Ken O'Brien - will pass and pass. The Jets are prefty good against the run, neutralizing half of New England's offensive weapons. But two new Jet starters will be in the secondary, Rich Miano at strong safety and Carl Howard at

INTERCONFERENCE Denver Broncos (1-0) at Green Buy Packers (0-1) — The Pack is starting their 10th-round pick, Don Markowski, at operterback, because Randy Wright was benched after the shutout by the Raiders. The Broncos' defense has not showed the effect of the retirement of three key veterans. Broncos by 10.

right cornerback. Patriots by 11/2.

Detroit Lious (0-1) at Los Angeles Raiders (1-0) — Although Rusty Hilger was benched with a sore left shoulder, and completed only two of seven passes in his first NFL start, he will be back for Los Angeles. So look for Marcus Allen AMERICAN CONFERENCE ried a career-high 33 times, for 136

St. Louis Cardinals (1-0) at San running-game heip, missing in the especially with Chip Band opener against the Jets. Bills by 3. backer. Chargers by 4½. especially with Chip Banks at line-

rum, which it couldn't do against overs against Pittsburgh and gained the Broncos. Seahawka by 7. only 47 yards rushing. 49ers by 1.

Giants' Reuschel Pitches His Way Up in the League

from the basement to the penthouse has been very smooth for a better club," Craig said.

In July, Reuschel was pitching for a last-place team. In less than three weeks, he is likely to start the first game of the National League for us, it would have to be Reus-

Reuschel pitched a two-hitter as the San Francisco Giants won their sixth straight game by defeating the Houston Astros. 4-0. Thursday. The Giants lead the second-place Cincinnati Reds by 8 games and Houston, the defending division champs, by 9% in the National League West. Both the Giants and Reds have 15 games left.

"I'm just happy to be here and part of this. I've been excited since I've been here," Reuschel said. Roger Craig, the Giants' manag-er, said after the game that Reuschel, who was acquired from Pittsburgh in late August, would start. the NL playoff opener on Oct. 6. "He's been amazing, hasn't he?" Craig said. "He's going to win the Cy Young Award, too. He deserves

best earned run average, 2.64, and is 5-1 with a 2.18 ERA since joining the Giants. The 38-year-old righthander also leads the league in shutouts, with four, and is tied with

NEW YORK -- A two-out sin-

ale in the bottom of the ninth in-

ning by Dan Pasqua scored Willie

Randolph from second base Thurs-

Yankees a 6-5 victory over the To-

with a bizarre run in the eighth, an

inning in which the Toronto man- ment

day night and gave the New York Phil Lombardi, who reached first

ronto Blue Jays, knocking the Jays trapped the third strike. Whitt out of first place in the American failed to throw to first base and

New York ended the Blue Jays' infield. Williams contended that

three-game winning streak and put them 4 game behind idle Detroit.

The Yankees had tied the score protest, adding that Wells took too

ager Jimy Williams was ejected.

Juan Beniquez put Toronto ahead 5-4 with his seventh home der protest. The game featured an run of the season, a three-run shot

85-minute rain delay in the sixth. that capped a five-run fifth. The

"If you wanted to pick anyone to establish momentum on the mound

BASEBALL ROUNDUP

chel," said left-hander Dave Dravecky. Craig's projected starter in the second playoff game.

Dravecky was acquired in a six-player deal with San Diego on July 4. He beat the Astros. 7-1, on Wednesday with a four-hitter and is 7-3 since joining the Giants. Reuschel was locked in a scoreless battle with Danny Darwin until the sixth inning, when Bob Bren-

Maldonado and Will Clark with a two-run double. The Giants added two runs the seventh on RBI singles by Mike

Aldrete and Maldonado. "At this point, we're sure getting all the breaks and things are going right, but in the playoffs we'll be 0-0 and we'll have to start all over,"

They've had excellent defense, great pitching and timely hitting." Houston's manager, Hal Lanier,

Reuschel walked one, struck out burgh, Mike Dunne, traded away

Yanks Topple Jays From Lead

ning for the victory, while Tom Henke took the loss.

In the eighth, Toronto pitcher

David Wells struck out pinch-hitter

base when catcher Ernie Whitt

failed to throw to first base and

instead tossed the ball around the

warmups during the argu-

LONDON - Zola Budd, who

arrived in international track in a

blaze of publicity, will try to make

a public comeback from injury on

Saturday after racing twice under

Africa and granted British citizen-

ance in a major competition at the

European championships in Statt-

gart a year ago.

She has been suffering from a hamstring injury, but she has raced

recently in two British club races

A spokesman for Saturday's 10-

kilometer (6.2-mile) road race in

Northern Ireland said Bodd had

not wanted publicity in her two

"But she has entered here under

While attention was focused on

the recent World Track and Field

Championships at Rome, Budd ran

in a road runners' handicap around

Hyde Park in London under the

name T. Davies, finishing far back

Again calling herself Davies, she

under an assumed name.

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her own name," he said.

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Budd, 21, who was born in South

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Budd to Try a Comeback

After 2 Unpublicized Races

The Associated Press

five and did not allow an Astro past by \$1, Louis in April, pitched threefirst base on Thursday night. bit hall over six innings to beat his
tom the basement to the pent"He pitched great for a last-place" former club for the second time this club, had three shutouts for them, season. The game was delayed a and he's pitched even better for us, total of two hours, 39 minutes by rain. Despite the loss, the Cardinals retained their 1/2-game lead in the NL East over second-place New

Expos 4. Mets 1- In Montreal Pascual Perez pitched a four-hitter and Hubie Brooks broke a sixthinning tie with a two-run homer for the Expos' victory over New York. The Expos have won all six games Perez has started since his recall from Indianapolis on Aug. 19.
Phillies 4, Cubs 3: In Philadel-

phia, Steve Jeltz's two-run double capped a three-run second and the Phillies used four relievers to defeat Chicago. Don Carman got the vic-tory and Steve Bedrosian the save. Padres 7, Braves 1: In San Diego, rookie Benito Santiago home and doubled to extend his hitting streak to 21 games, the longest in the National League this season, as the Padres downed Atlanta, Garry Templeton hit a three-run inside-

the park home run. Reds 3, Dodgers 2; Dodgers 6, Reds 3: In Los Angeles Eric Davis's run-scoring single in the 10th gave Cincinnati the victory in the open-"They're doing everything right, er, but the Dodgers took advantage of a first-inning wild pitch to come back and earn a split. In the night-cap, Bob Welch allowed three runs in seven innings for his first victory

cago, Carlton Fisk led off the 10th

by lining the ball into the left-cen-ter field bleachers to give the White Sox the victory over Seattle. Fisk's

four runs in the top of the ninth.

Royals 7, Angels 6: In Kansas City, Missouri, Danny Tartabull's

two-out, bases-loaded single in the

Willie Wilson and Bill Pecota had

won a 2-mile cross-country race at

Budd was quoted in several Brit-

"I have been training for three

ish newspapers as saying that her injuries, which had cast a shadow

over her career, now were cured.

feeling much more relaxed." she

Budd was at the center of a con-

Because of its policy of apart-

was quoted as saying.

apartheid demonstrators.

The Expos' Mitch Webster ducks a pitch, but too late.

Herzog on Stengel And 'Tra-La-La'

By George Vecsey
New York Times Service NEW YORK - This will provide scant consolation to New York fans watching the Yankees disappearing down the sinkhole and the Mets struggling to stay close to the Cardinals, but New York does have an oblique share of

less a disciple of Charles Dillon Stengel, who helped bring 10 pennants to the Bronx and create a legend in Queens.
Stengel has been gone since

1975, but it is of comfort to know 20th homer of the year and his 15th game-winning RBI came after the Mariners had tied the score with that gruff Stengelian wisdom continues to be spread like rich mulch on the pastures of baseball by the likes of Whitey Herzog. While visiting his least favorite

town last weekend, Herzog sat in Kansas City roots and Herzog later bottom of the ninth led the Royals his office in his underwear and paid past California. Tartabull's hit off homage to his mentor.

reliever Greg Minton came after Herzog's tribute to Casey bes dieton had certainly not been trying so they won't ask you another to jack one out of Shea Stadium last one," "Herzog said after a 10-minboth singled and George Brett was Friday night, when he hit his two ute filibuster lest Saturday. run homer to even the score with two out in the ninth. The Cards went on to win it in the 10th when Tom-

not only because of the distant fences and the hard fraudulent turf managed to (1) plug his employer, of Busch Stadium. Herzog said he the Good King August; (2) poke a learned to "rum sheep, rum," at the slyjab at his old pal Keith Hernan-

months without any trouble. I'm American League in the 70s. "We work on that all spring we bust our backs to get it right," Her- not hit left-handers, but one day in

troversy when, at age 17, she ob-tained British citizenship to com-pete internationally, mainly in the 1984 Olympics Games at Los Aning position on second.

heid. South Africa is banned from international competition, and whenever the barefoot number comever saw for getting guys in from third," Herzog continued. "He spring training, we had the hit-end-didn't steal a lot, but with the Yan-run on, and Carl Erskine threw me peted, she was hounded by anti-In the women's 3,000-meter final kees, you didn't have to. at the Los Angeles Olympics, she was involved in a collision with Mary Decker of the United States.

"He would take me out to third base and jump up and down and then he would say 'now' and push Decker fell to the infield and was me toward home. It got to where I was pretty good at getting a jump

Stengel's base-running strategy was

to listen to Stengel talking about John McGraw - nearly a century of baseball in one steamy dressing

That Herzog gives credit to Stengel is both gracious and historically important. Because there are a million tapes of Stengel's rubber-faced, double-talk act in inventing the lovable New York Mets, the The manager of the Cardinals, new breed of human being is in no lover of New York, is neverthed anger of perceiving Stengel as merely a clown, a performer But Herzog praises Stengel every chance he gets.

In the past, Herzog has recalled how Stengel sent him back to the Yankees' minor league farm in Kansas City, promising, "But you have a good year, and I'll get you back." Herzog's punch line is: "But I never had a good year."

As time went on, the two shared was farm director for the Mats when Stengel was gurn emeritus. "Casey told me, 'Let 'em ask you

with an explanation that Terry Pen- one question, and you keep talking

Herzog's ramble came after question about the impact of the Pendleton home run upon the psymy Herr singled home a run.

The Cardinals are known for Herzog said, "It's not like I gave up motoring their way around the bases, but Herzog noted that this is

Budweiser in my office."

gnaried knee of the Doctor himself. dez, who had been supping a beer as "I was always proud that Gene the Mets presumably went down Mauch used to say nobody got his the drain in the sixth game of the players from third to home better World Series last October, and (3) than we did," said Herzog, who casually admit just how desperate triple mission in one monologue,

Herzog also recalled: "I could zog added. "If we have runners on spring training Casey took a bat first and third, we pull stuff, be- and said, Now you got this procause even if they get the runner at tected, and that protected, and over third, you still have a man in scor- here protected - and if he throws three strikes out here, what the "People remember all the bull, but Casey was the best manager I next time? Thanks, Case."

And another one: "One time in a curve and I struck out into a double play. I came back to the bench and Casey said, 'Next time, tra-la-la.' I didn't know what tra-la la meant, but next time I got up, I hit a line drive, right into a double play. When I sat down, Casey came To listen to Herzog talking about over and said, 'Like I told you, tra-

SCOREBOARD

One Year and Counting

IN REVIEW

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year.

WORLD MARKES An Olympic flag is hoisted over Seoul's main stadium by officials and Ha Hyung-ju, a judoist who won a gold medal at the Los Angeles Olympics in 1984. The ceremony on Thursday was one year to the day before the opening of the 1988 Olympic Games in Scoul. On Friday, the Soviet news agency Tass said there was still some question about whether the Soviet Union would attend the Games if North Korea's demands to be co-host were ignored.

Baseball

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Nakajima Leads in Delayed U.S. Golf

FRANKLIN, Wisconsin (AP) — Tommy Nakajima tied a course record with a 10-under-par 62 Thursday to take a 2-stroke lead in the rain-shortened first round of the Greater Milwankee Open. Play was called off after a 2-hour, 30-minute rain delay after only half of the 156-player field had completed the round. The first round was to be completed Friday morning with second-round play scheduled for Friday afternoon and Saturday morning, if necessary.

Nakajima blistered the soggy Tuckaway Country Club course with 10

birdies and an eagle and also had two bogeys to tie the course record set by Jim Thorpe in 1985 and take a 2-stroke lead over Hubert Green. Eighteen players had rounds below 70, and 45 were below par before rain

Fractured Bone Ends Manila's Career

ELMONT, New York (UPI) - Manila, the 1986 turf champion and favorite to be elected 1987 Horse of the Year, has suffered a fractured bone in his left front leg, ending his brilliant racing career two months before his scheduled retirement.

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The 4-year-old son of Lyphard, owned by Bradley Shannon and trained by LeRoy Jolley, will be retired immediately to William Farrish's Lanes End Farm in Lexington, Kentucky, where he will begin a new career at stud. James Beldon, the veterinarian, said Friday that the injury was "just a hairline" fracture of the cannon bone in the left foreleg and not in the least life-threatening." Manila ended his three-year career with a 12-5-0 record in 18 starts. His

last race was an impressive length-and-a-half triumph in the Sept. 6 Arlington Million, his 10th victory in 11 starts. Manila was scheduled to retire after the Breeders' Cup Turf on Nov. 21.

Carter Signs Contract with NFL Eagles

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - Wide receiver Cris Carter, picked in the fourth round by the Philadelphia Eagles in a supplemental draft, has signed four one-year contracts with the NFL club, a team spokesman

Carter was an All-American wide receiver who was declared ineligible at Ohio State after disclosures that he had signed with agents. Terms of the contracts were not disclosed at a hastily called news conference at Veterans Stadium, said Ed Wisneski, an Eagles spokesman. Carter and Charles Gladman, the Pittsburgh running back who also

lost his college eligibility for accepting money from an agent, were the only players available in the NFL's supplemental draft, and no team ted Gladman According to a report published Sept. 5 in the Columbus (Ohio) Post

Dispatch, Carter was expected to seek a three-year contract worth \$900,000, including a \$150,000 signing bonns,

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E VERYWHERE one turns these days the distinctive physiognomy of Thomas P. (Tip) O'Neill has been on display: from the Tercentenary

Theater at Harvard University, where he receive

an honorary degree last June to a new ad for Hush

Puppies. In the months since he left office, O'Neill

has become not only the latest darling of America's

advertising industry, but a full-blown national icon.

Now comes the capstone to this ballyhoo, the memoirs for which Random House paid a cool million dollars, crafted by the acknowledged master

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BOOKS Dorchester to Duxbury - O'Neill is no writer. He

Novak, the man who brought you Lee Iacocca and Sidney Biddle Barrows (the "Mayflower Madam"), but that may be precisely the problem. Once the aromatic blend of O'Neill's personality has been strained through the all-purpose filter of Novak's prose, the result is a watery brew which one trusts would never be served in the House dining room. The opening chapters — recounting O'Neill's Irish-American heritage and early years — are further flawed by a broad streak of sentimentality. If

has relied here on the narrative skills of William

sentimentality is the enemy of feeling, it is also the enemy of truth, and no people are so hadly served by blarney as Boston's Irish. But beneath the bathos one detects the shape of a compelling portrait — a rumpled, overweight, out-of-fashion ligure who offers no apologies for a political credo adopted five decades ago. Ever since the early Depression years, when he managed a

friend's campaign for the Cambridge City Council, Trp O'Neill has dedicated himself to work and

still believes that "every family deserves the oppor tunity to earn an income, own a home, educate their children and afford medical care." In an era when political positions are frequently sushaped over-night to fit the latest poll results, there is a stolid consistency and integrity about this man which many Americans plainly find attractive. There is also a vein of curmindgeonly com

ness that frequently breaks through his air of cracker-barrel geniality. He accuses John Kennedy's staff notably Kenny O'Donnell, whom he plainly disliked - of "freezing" him out of the White House, He labels Congressman Howard Smith of Virginia, longtime chairman of the House Rules Committee, "an arrogant son of a bitch," calls Senator Eugene McCarthy both "mean" and "lazy," says Jimmy Carter's congressional liaison man. Frank Moore, "didn't know beans about Congress, and denounces columnists Roland Evans and Robert Novak as sleazy operators whose company he was "ashamed" to be in.

His harshest assessments are reserved for Ronald Resean. At least on the surface, he notes, the two men have a lot in common: "We're roughly the same age (he's two years older). We're both of Irish cestry. We're both sports buffs. We're both sociable and outgoing. We both come from modest

of age in the 1930s."

So how does one explain their very different visions of America? Tip's answer is simple: "One of us lost track of his roots while the other guy didn't." And his final judgment is just as unequivocal: "Tve known every president since Harry Truman, and there's no question in my mind that Ronald Reagan

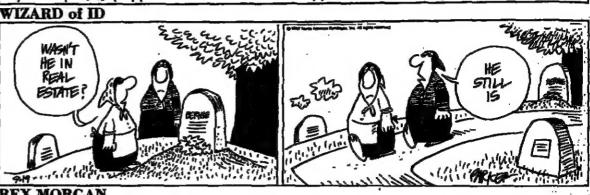
This, like much of the book, is less analysis than iconography. In the political coinage of the 1980s, Ronald Reagan's beaming visage adorns one side of the currency, while Tip O'Neill's corpulent figure is emblazoned on the other. Two images of our time. For my part, I'll take Tip.

Anthony J. Lukas won a Pulitzer Prize last year for "Common Ground: A Turbulent Decade in the Lives of Three American Families." He wrote this for The Washington Post.

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Operation Deep Nose

By Michael Winerip

Wastowski, county air pollu-tion inspector, took notes while his "Deep Nose" on Tremley Point Road described a suspicious new stink. "I haven't called in quite chemical, gas, smoke, bleach and awhile, and we've had a few smells," said Deep Nose, a retired laborer. "To me, it's a waste solvent smell, a mixture of smells all combined into one — I think it's the sewage plant. We only get it with an east wind. Last night — wooo! Had to shut all the windows."

The man lives near a industrial area crammed with oil tanks, refineries and chemical plants. For 40 vears he worked there, at American Cyanamid. "I know their smells," he said. "Don't think it's them." The inspector listened respectfully. He knew if Deep Nose was

talking, something smelled. Wastowski climbed into his car. As he got close to the Linden-Roselle Sewage Plant, he rolled down the window and pointed his nose. A sour smell, but not enough to make a case. Legally, the question is, would this smell "unreasonably interfere with the enjoyment of life or

property." Not now, Wastowski

decided, but he would be back. It is a part of daily life in this, the most industrialized part of the state

— spills, stinks, fugitive odors. Middlesex County has 180 factories that annually emit at least 100 tons (90 metric tons) each of air contaminant — tops in the state. Residents don't like it. The seven Middlesex inspectors, who also cover part of Union County, han-

dled 2,000 complaints in 1986. It can be risky work. Once, Richard Hills, the supervisor, tracked a smell to a chemical factory, which he then inspected. As he walked out, the soles fell off his shoes. "They were new shoes," he said.

In court, it often comes down to the inspector's nose. "What better way to confirm an investigation?" said Hills. Last year Middlesex's noses produced \$1.2 million in pollution fines.

A trained nose man understands that when a citizen says his town smells like horse urine, it is probably a hexamine; rotten cabbage, a sulfide; inner-tube odor, an amine. Cat urine is mercapto, and dirty sock odor is a fatty acid used in

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"It was one of those muggy days when everything smelled," said Lauritsen. "We couldn't find it."

Inspectors had reports of cat urine.

SOME cases are easier. McCormack Aggregates has 60-foot (18-meter) sand piles behind homes in South Amboy. Neighbors constantly complain about having to keep windows and doors closed all year. So far, \$210,000 in fines have been assessed. Gloria DeSousa and Laurie Schmidt, who are inspectors, wrote that they had no problem verifying the problem: "Laurie and I could feel some grit collecting on our faces with an occasional particle getting in our eyes." The

company is appealing.

As he drove past Busch Industri-Products in East Brunswick, Wastowski rolled down his window and pointed his nose, "Nothing," he said. "Wind's blowing the other

Many complaints have been made about the plant, which pro-

duces brewer's yeast.
The company admits it smells, but claims its odor is not bad enough to interfere with enjoyment of life. Busch has hired its own odor technologist and she wasn't impressed with residents' complaints. A "small percentage of the popula-tion have unusually acute sense of smell and are hypersensitive to odor," Busch's odor specialist wrote. Still, faced with two court cases, Busch has promised to try to develop a smell control device.

Friday night, after a full day of work. Wastowski had to go back out when a dense white cloud was spotted in Old Bridge. They traced it to a 1,500-gallon ammonium chloride spill at Madison Indus-

No smell emergencies were re-ported over the weekend, but he had a lot of routine calls waiting Monday morning - a factory in Linden spewing white particulates: three yeast odor complaints near Busch, and a call from King George Road in Woodbridge: "A very bad smell in the air."

Literary Brat Pack: Young, Brash, Rich

By Nikki Finke

N the likes of Norman Mailer, James Jones, William Styron, John Updike and Philip Roth has a generation of first novelists garnered so much attention.

Variity Fair calls them "the young and the wasted." Newsweek refers to them as the "divine decadents." They're a new wave of writers soaring to stardom in the '80s at startlingly young ages with innova-tive writing styles and hip subject matter. But what really sets this new breed apart is a refusal to believe in the old romantic

notions about the need for young authors to struggle. Instead, they are demanding to be published, promoted and paid well almost from the start of their careers, thereby changing the cherished rules of the writing game in distinctive and disturbing ways. Known informally as the Literary Brat Pack, the group stars Jay McInerney ("Bright Lights, Big City"), Bret Easton Ellis ("Less Than Zero"), David Leavitt ("Family Dancing") and Tama Janowitz ("Slaves of New York").

"They're all very different writers," points out Adam Moss, deputy editor at Esquire. "The only thing they have in common is they all had the good fortune to have written first books that caught the public imagination at a time when publishers and media were very eager to give

young people a chance."

What they also have in common is that their second books bombed, at least in the eyes of the critics.

This month, the release of Ellis's second novel, "The Rules of Attraction," and Janowitz's "A Cannibal in Manhattan" were met with more jeers than cheers. Janowitz has written three books, but no one seems to count her first novel, the dud "American Dad." That McInerney's and Leavitt's second books -- "Ransom" and "The Lost Language of Cranes" - met with a similar fate points up the difficulty.

Gary Fisketjon, editorial director at The Atlantic Monthly Press and McInerney's editor, sees it this way: "It's all sour grapes. Jay could have written the St. James Bible and people would have panned it."
Neverless, Leavitt's and McInerney's

pectations are high that Ellis's and Janowitz's may fare even better. Brat Pack thinking seems to be that bad reviews help sales. "If I get people really screaming about the book," says Janowitz, "it's more to my advantage than a boning

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second books sold extremely well, and ex-

teview saying, 'Oh, this is just lovely.' So my bottom line is I don't care what people say. I just want them to buy the book." The members of the Literary Brat Pack share other similarities. They live in New York and hang out, sometimes together, at

the same nightspots. They get invited to the hottest parties and placed on the most pompous literary panels. They pontificate about life, love and writing for trend-tracking magazines like Esquire, Rolling Stone and Interview. They get offers to hawk Scotch and other products for advertisers. According to editors at several major houses based in New York, young writers - under 30 and sometimes under 20 - are

approaching the whole business with a savvy way beyond their years. Banking on these writers' ability to get their peers into the bookstores and expecting to reap large rewards, many publishers are handing out large advances to young authors who are eager to turn their manuscripts into gold. One editor says "there's a preoccupation with making money among this new generation of writers. They all approach writing in some ways like baby

getting agents and publishers with an ease never before seen and at the same time

stockbrokers." But some see this outbreak of avarice as long overdue. "Why should writers be held to a different standard in terms of wanting to make money than any other profession in America?" asks Moss. "Why should they

starve?" The writers point out that they are not the ones asking for unprecedented large advances, it is their agents. Interestingly, three of the four Brat Packers - McInerney, Ellis and Janowitz - are represented by Amanda Urban, the high-powered ICM literary agent. And the industry is still talking about Leavitt's recent jump from Alfred A. Knopf to Weidenfeld & Nicolson because of hard-nosed bargaining by his agent, Andrew Wylie.

After Leavitt produced two moderately good-selling books. Wylie reportedly demanded a two-book contract worth \$250,000 to \$275,000, a sum that Knopf refused to pay. "The money bore no rela-tion to the sales history of the first two books," said a source close to the negotiations. Weidenfeld's president, Ann Getty. jumped in and agreed to the sum. But the British-based company was accused by rival publishers of "throwing money" American writers.

Fisketjon says: "The competition is more intense and expensive now than it





Tama Janowitz (top), Jay McInerney (left) and Bret Easton Ellis.

was. It's crazy, but everybody's a party to this. As someone I know said, 'Who ever heard of just one lemming going over a cliff?" These days editors increasingly want to find writers while they are young and fresh - and find them first.

As a result, an informal but highly effective "old boy" network connects universities with the publishing companies.

For example, the author Joe McGinniss ("Fatal Vision") taught Ellis in a writing class at Bennington and then went on to become his mentor by providing him with an introduction to Simon & Schuster. Leavitt was spotted at Yale, while Janowitz made her best connections at Columbia's graduate writing program.

Once these young talents are targeted, publishers wind up bidding against one

have produced anything worth publishing.
"It used to be you'd look at someone's proposed first novel and say, 'Let's work on it for a while and then I'll see if I can give you a contract.' Now one realizes one has to snap up these people with what is in front of you, essentially, one editor says.

That lack of a close writer-editor relationship may also help to explain why the

another, sometimes even before the writers

Brat Pack's second novels were not as good as they might have been. Ellis, for one, boasts about how he does not allow his work to be edited. "An editor

for me is someone who can correct my grammar more than anything else," he says. "I don't like to look upon it as a collaborative effort." And Janowitz readily admits that her publicist at Crown Publishers Inc., not her editor, is her best friend.

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Prince Andrew, Sarah Begin Weekend in U.S.

Prince Andrew and his wife, Sa. rah, flew to New York on the Concorde Friday amid secrecy and tight security. Airport officials tried to keep their departure secret, and their names did not appear on any flight lists. The Duke and Duchess of York were scheduled to attend a polo match in Greenwich Connecticut, on Saturday in aid of the World Wildlife Fund and the Masai Mara game preserve in Kanana and the Masai Masai Mara game preserve in Kanana and the Masai Ma musau Mara game preserve in Konya. On Samrday night, they were to attend a ball in aid of the American Fellows of the Tate Gen can Fellows of the Tate Gallery Foundation in London. The duke flies back to London Sunday and the duchess Tuesday. Jewel-studded watches and other

jewelry seized from Indian guru Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh fetched \$199,980 at an auction at Christie's in New York. The 23 pieces of jewelry, which included a bracelet and a jeweled headband ornament were seized by the U.S. government at the time of Rajneesh's arrest in 1985. Proceeds from their sale will go to the U.S. Treasury. Rajneesi who founded the Rajneeshpuran commune in Oregon in 1981, left the United States in 1985 after pleading guilty to immigration

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